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1944



Dear Babe,

Which you are the best
of kind.

"Nelly Suster"

'45'

Apr

Belmont Vt.

So Babe & I wish
you good luck in the
present & future.

Yours.

Dear Babe,

I've really
have enjoyed
knowing you in
the past and
hope to know
you better in the
future.

Love,
Florence Calk

Dear Babe,
Wishing my best
wishes to a most
wonderful gal.
With love
Para "44"

Dearest Babe,
I'll always
remember you
as the cute
kid that ate
all in Comm. Unit
Love,
Your
Florence

So Babe & I wish
you good luck in the
present & future.
Yours.
Apr
Belmont Vt.
So Babe & I wish
you good luck in the
present & future.
Yours.
Apr
Belmont Vt.

Dear Barbara,
I'll always
remember you
as one fine girl.
Thanks for helping
me with my
stuffed budgets.
Emily

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Dear Barbara,
I've walked by the sea
I've walked by the sea,
but found nothing so
pleasant as the smile
you've given me.
Best wishes always,
Frankie Corbett.

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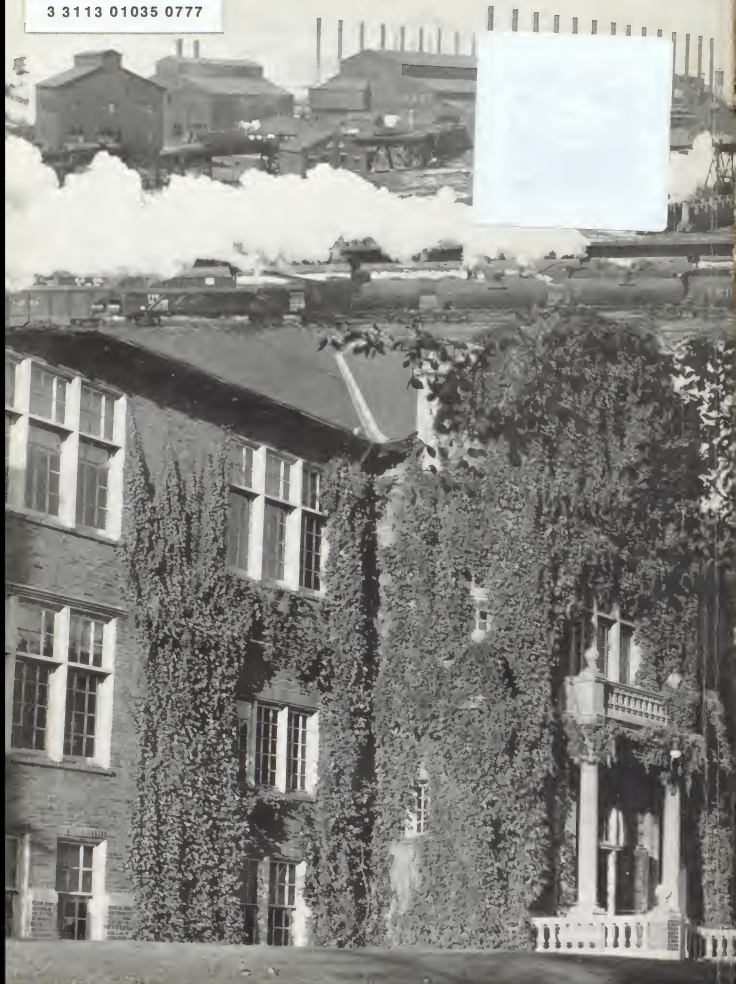
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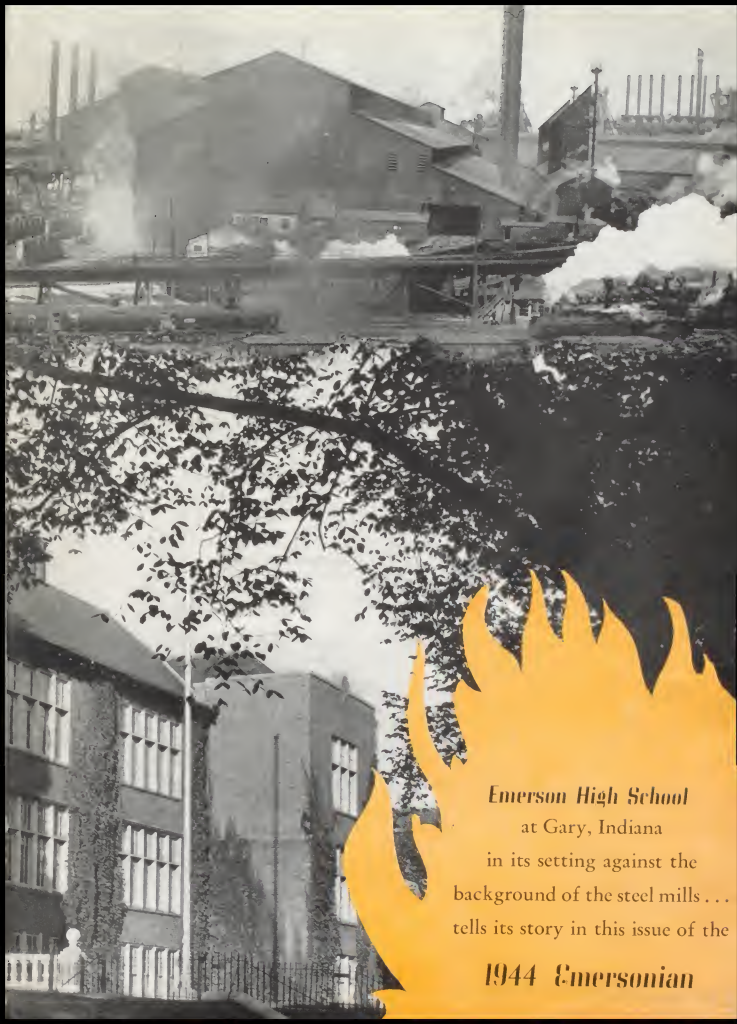
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tells its story in this issue of the

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Steel and Spirit Fight Together

We, the 1944 Staff of THE EMERSONIAN, humbly dedicate this record of our joys, heartaches, activities, our thoughts, and hopes, to the gallant Emersonians who are fighting (and who will fight) on European battlefields, under tropical suns of the South Pacific, in China skies, through the bitter cold of the Aleutians, and under Mediterranean waters. To these, we dedicate this book.

We include in this dedication the fathers, brothers, mothers, sisters, relatives, and friends of the Emerson community who got steel dust in their eyes to see these heroes home. These men and women of all the Gary mills also served.

Steel, our background and our heritage, is a fitting theme. From many parts of Gary, from the Duneland and the lake front comes Youth, raw material, to Emerson's portals, to be tested and tried, blended and selected, for the purpose of producing human beings comparable to the steel made in our town. From the crucible they must emerge ready for the preservation of the American Way: "principles of democratic constitutional government — devotion to justice — respect for the pledged word, and love of peace."

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We hold these truths to be self-evident.

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Oh! say can you see by the dawn's early light.

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Cpl. Edward Reid
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Robert Rieharts
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Pvt. E. Henry Robbins
Capt. Norton Robbins
Russell Robbins
Ralph Robinson
Ted Rocoff
William Rogers
Asa Rogland
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Pvt. Frank V. Roman
Lt. Leonard Romans
Pfc. Romischer

Pvt. Frank Schwartz
Pvt. Kenneth Schwartz
2nd Lt. Martha Schweiger
Pvt. Louis Scott
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Jack Shaffner
John Sharko
T/Sgt. George Sharp
Pvt. Phillip Shaw
Lt. Theodore M. Shedlak
Living Sheer
Pvt. Tom Sheehy
John Shepherd
Pvt. Lloyd Sherwood
Sgt. Alfred Shipley
Pvt. Melford Shively
Pfc. John Shultz
Pvt. Janis Shuster

Liberty and Union, now and forever.

Jack O'Donnell
Matthew O'Grouny
Charles O'Hara
Lt. David O'Hara
Duane Olafson
Bernard Olis
Pvt. Charles R. O'Neill
Bud Orastek
Charles O'Reilly
S/Sgt. John Orlich
Pvt. Louis Orosz
Steve Orosz
Sgt. Paul O'Muluz
Robert O'Muluz
James F. Orr F 1/c
Chester Ospalski

Eddie Plea
2nd Lt. Thora Plummer
Robert Plunkett
A/C William K. Plunkett
Cpl. Chester Pogo
Pvt. Edward Pogo
Cpl. William Polan
Cpl. Eddy Poplonski
Theodore Pockoff
Leonard Predaina Y 3/c
Lt. Dorothy Preuss
Howard Preuss S 1/c
Sgt. John Preuss
Sgt. Al Price
Tim Price
Tom Price

Eugene Romwiz
Tyron Roscoe
Pvt. Jerry Rotenberg
Leo Roth A/S
Pfc. Samuel S. Roth
Leonard Rothman
Cpl. Jerome J. Rottenberg
Harry Rottemann
T. L. Rowley
Cpl. George Rubis Jr.
Cpl. Helen Russell
Laura Russell
Pfc. Alfred Rutkiewicz
Pvt. John Sablovic
Martin Sabo
Pvt. Frank Saetes

S/Sgt. Jesse F. Shuts
Harvey Sides F.C. 3/c
Pfc. Norbert Siemiaszki
Pvt. Joseph J. Sikora
David Silverma
Dan Simon S 2/c
T/Sgt. Harry Singleton
Jerry Skaggs
Sgt. William Skingley
Scaman Joseph J. Skora
Bill Sleptovich
Lt. Thomas Smatana
Pvt. Darrell Smeltzer
Albert Smith
2nd Lt. Charles Smith
Earl C. Smith S 1/c

The spirit of the nation is eternal.

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2nd Lt. Norbert J. Smith
Pvt. Phillip Smith
Joseph C. Smolkovich
Al Snopel
Pvt. Anthony Sniegorski
Pvt. George W. Snelling
Cpl. Eugene Snodgrass
Sgt. Wayne Snodgrass
Pfc. Henry Sobal
A/S M. J. Sofish
Maj. Waldemur Solf
Joe Sotak
Cpl. Harry Spurlock
Pvt. John Spurlock
Kenneth Spurr S.C. 3/e
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George Starkey
Pvt. Anthony Startek
Pvt. Benjamin Stawicki
Pvt. Mitchell Stawicki
Lt. Arebald D. Steel
Arthur Steen S 1/e
Pvt. Steve C. Stefan

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Oscar Teveson
Pvt. Paul Thanos
Pfc. Gus Theodoros
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Cpl. Raymond Tueker
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Tracy Wilmore
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Cpl. Casimir Wojehowski
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Sgt. Norman Wolf
Bill Wolfington
Pvt. Joseph Woolridge
Cpl. John Wotherspoon
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Pvt. Casey Wozlak
Sgt. W. J. Wylie

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Pvt. John Zakutansky
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Cox. Joe Zeman
Pvt. Claude Zimmerle
W. F. Zimmerle S 2/c
Cpl. Rex. L. Zinn
Zivko Zivanovitch S 2/e
Milton Zukowski
Pvt. Valentine Zulawinski
Emil Znavor

In God is our trust.

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Cpl. Michael C. Steffus
Bob Stinson
Neal Stiritz
Pfc. John L. Stitto
Pvt. Frank Stonehill
Pvt. Jerry S. Stonehouse
Merle J. Strasburg
Pvt. Charles Strong
Pvt. Don Struble
Sgt. Joseph Stryezek
Pfc. Julian Stryezek
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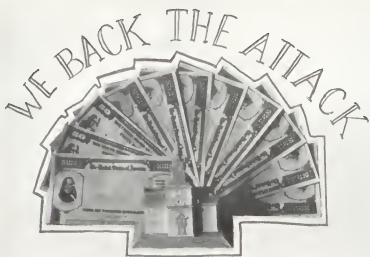
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Charles Wardrip
Joseph Wasick S 2/e
Sgt. Edward Wegrzyn
Pvt. Bernard Weiner
Arthur Weiss
Pfc. Irving Weiss
Pvt. Leon Weiss
Pfc. Henry Weissbuch
Isadore Weissbuch
Lawrence E. West

Ramon Olejnik receives from Major Franklin on February 15, in a special assembly, his brother Leonard's medals. Staff Sergeant Adolph Leonard Olejnik was awarded The Distinguished Flying Cross and The Order of the Purple Heart. He was killed in the Ploesti Raid, August, 1943. Stamp and Bond sales at this ceremony totaled \$18,000.

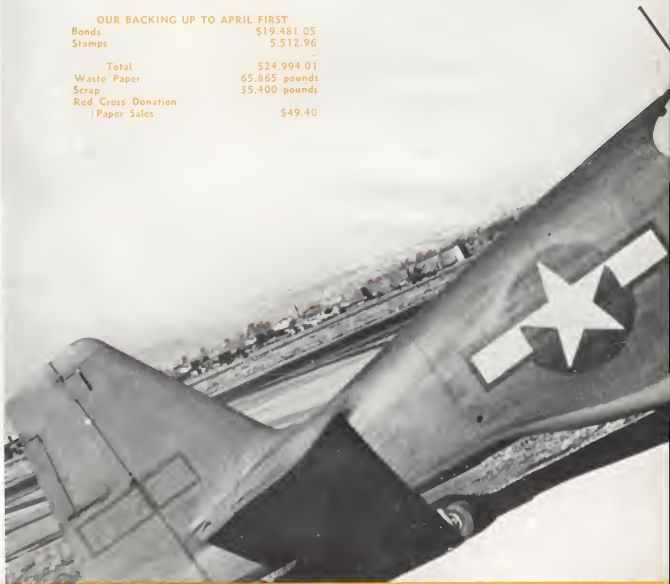




Kathleen Griffith's guarantee of an education
in this Independence Hall miniature.

OUR BACKING UP TO APRIL FIRST

Bonds	\$19,481.05
Stamps	5,512.96
Total	\$24,994.01
Waste Paper	65,865 pounds
Scrap	35,400 pounds
Red Cross Donation Paper Sales	\$49.40





Crew of EMERSON TORNADO P-51

Pilot	Hazel Harrison
Relief Pilot	Melba Cromer
Maintenance Crew	Dorothy Pointi
	Virginia Dwyer
	Sara Garner



Emerson at War

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Alice Weiss and Bruce Cowen compare notebooks, pre-war and Victory numbers; Staff Sergeant Lovelace gives test to Army Air Corps cadet candidates; Robert Klein uses his jackknife to sharpen Adrienne Michnik's pencil—short of sharpeners; David Klein, John Orsechowski, Deanne Denslow, and Beverly Edwards make paste of flour; Mrs. Wicks donates scrap paper to AOA's Don and Bob Hall, and Lester Brown.



EVENTS

OF THE YEAR



Wirt Marker — November 15.
Artist Albin Polasek and Dick Hall—December 13.

Peggy Gibbons at Youth Conference — September 23.
Publications Banquet — November 23.



Nels Johnson, Emerson
Engineer for 28 Years,
Tells How to Save
Coal and Have a
Warm School—Octo-
ber 28.

Dorothy Punkt Chosen
Football Queen — No-
vember 12.



Pat Coleman and Other
Student Reporters Get
Ready for N.I.T.A.
convention — October
22.

Operators Class — Sep-
tember 15.



What of Us?

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President

KATHERINE THOMAS, Froebel
Vice-president



BETTY GAYNOR, Emerson
Secretary

G. J. REYNOLDS, Emerson
Sponsor

Adult Discussion Guides, Sponsors, and Guests: Miss J. Shay, Whiting; Miss E. Tinsman, Emerson; Mrs. L. B. Snyder, Gary; Mrs. Elizabeth Coates, Y. M. C. A.; Mrs. J. A. Oberforfer, Y. W. President; Mrs. J. Foster, Gary; Miss Rosemary Maloney, Welfare Dept.; Mrs. Evelyn M. Duvall, Chicago Assoc. for Family Living, guest speaker; Mr. Frank Liddle, State Secretary, Y.M.C.A.; Mr. Fred Steinger, Gary; Mrs. E. Frederiksen, Gary; Mrs. H. Kindelsperger, Gary; Mrs. Burgess Snyder, Gary; Mr. Mark Roser, Gary; Mrs. F. Greve, Lew Wallace; Mrs. G. Angle, Gary; Miss M. Cheever, Lew Wallace. Stage showing flowers presented by Emerson boys; Registration; Catherine Orgon and Emmalyn Jenkins; Discussion leader; Mr. Roser and Mr. Liddle in panel: Discussion group

Snowy weather on Saturday, March 25, did not dampen the ardor of the glamorous lassies who came, over five hundred, to attend the Fifth Annual Lake County High School Girls' Conference.

Student group leaders were Margaret Sqibb, Edison; Rose Goldman and Dorothy Puinti, Emerson; Mary Ann Jacob and Bessie Chrison, Froebel; Phil Beck and Joan Key, Mann; Teresa Knaver and Joan Salon, Lew Wallace; Emmalyn Jenkins, Roosevelt; Shirley Nelson, Tolleston; Ramona Dykstra; Wirt.

Mr. Bohn welcomed the delegates. Bob Johnson spoke for the Emerson student body, particularly the boys, and presented a lovely bouquet of jonquils to each member school. The blue curtain opening on this yellow glory was an unforgettable sight.

The theme, "What of Us?" covered four areas:

Family Relationships, Boys and Girls Together; Friendship; Religion. Headline speakers were Frank Liddle, State Y.M.C.A. Secretary; Mrs. Evelyn M. Duvall, Chicago Association for Family Living; Mark Roser, Director of Child Welfare, Gary Public Schools.

The morning discussion groups, with delegates meeting in groups of fifty, was an outstanding feature. Girls were especially appreciative of the adult leaders as guides in these groups. Froebel presented the charming dance, "Cindy". School Fashions were modelled by Lew Wallace students. A tea concluded the conference.

Emmalyn Jenkins was elected president for the 1945 conference.

Steel Makers . . . Principals



EVERETT A. SPAULDING, Principal

RUSSELL O. BOHN, Assistant

Men and women returning to Emerson from service in all parts of the world agree on one thing—"E.A. hasn't changed a bit." Since these are our older brothers, sisters, relatives, and friends, they must know. When we asked for his characteristic expression he said it was "Aw, shucks," and added with a grin, "depending on who's around." This is the thirty-fourth year for Emerson's chief, and he still believes that boys and girls are more important than subject matter.

He is very proud of the Parent Council, believing that this group is a bridge between home and school with either group able to cross over in the direction of better understanding. The gradually changing membership of the Parent Council gives the school a real booster committee in the community. Frequently members who are no longer active come to the luncheon and the meetings.

Our equally genial Mr. Bohn admitted that in moments of great stress he said, "I'll be daggoned if I know what to do." He has great admiration for the Emerson faculty which goes on functioning efficiently in these trying times. That a child now receives adjustment when he needs it, in grades first through third, is a great satisfaction to Mr. Bohn. This same principle

is being applied in a degree from grades fourth through seventh. Keying in with this practice is the new report card indicating citizenship one period and subject achievement in the next, alternating. This card, according to Mr Bohn, is experimental and parents have been urged to express approval or disapproval. The experiment in reading is being continued this year with Miss I. V. Jones of the Testing Department meeting with the committee.

Threatened shortages of teachers and coal were but two of the complicated problems handled by this year's Board of School Trustees. By ordering schools closed from Friday to Monday morning, from November first on, a saving was made. The trustees went on record as favoring the granting of pensions to non-teaching employees. One of the Board's pleasant but numerous jobs is attending the eight commencements in June. However, they were conditioned for that this year by many public appearances for AOA progress activities, Bond Drives, Post-War civic planning groups, and OCD programs.

On April 26, Mrs. Helen Kindelsperger, home visiting teacher, told parents of primary children about her work. This was the fourth in a series of meetings informing parents of the school programs.

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FACULTY



Q. B. Carberry

Their Sole Interest---Quality Production

Again our faculty had to meet the challenge of providing encouragement and instruction in a time of crisis. Along with teaching duties, our faculty members helped students to follow the national program—SERVE, SAVE, AND CONSERVE. They bought bonds, rationed, taught and took special war courses; supported loyally activities of the Red Cross and the Community Chest Fund; helped in OCD work.

"D.C.," now Lt. Connerly, left us in June to teach aviation cadets in San Antonio. Mr. Oursler who was with us for a few weeks in the fall is serving in the Navy. We have listed our faculty members in service on the service pages.

In addition to Mr. Oursler, Miss Betty Hartnett came to Emerson as a physical training instructor. We also welcomed Mrs. Helen Kindelsperger, home visitor.

There are "goodbyes" to be said as well as "hellos". With deep regret we say farewell to Mrs. Marjorie Stoner, our much loved high school

librarian, who has been with us since 1922. We shall miss her smiling and never-failing, "Is there anything I can do for you?" We wish Mrs. Stoner every good thing.

Our faculty believes that war or no war, the basic learnings must go on, but there was provided as many activities as possible to maintain morale.

Curriculum changes were discussed at several faculty meetings. These suggestions and recommendations are being handled by citywide committees.

Advanced mathematics classes were noticeably larger and refresher courses were given in this field to key in with the pre-induction program. Mr. Flynn again taught aeronautics. A course to train student operators of machines used in visual educational work, both for the auditorium and the films shown in 105, was conducted by Miss Doyle. The Home Arts faculty gave special work in child care, home nursing, and nutrition.

Language Arts

- ♦ ALMA LORTZ, Social Living—"Be sure you use the right modifiers."
- ♦ CATHERINE GREENWALD, English—"That's why I'm here."
- ♦ NELLE McCARNAN, English—"Is, are, was, were, never take objects."
- ♦ ALICE LaDEAUX, Social Living—"Let's read poetry."
- ♦ MARY PORTMESS, Social Living—"Now my grandfather—"
- ♦ GRACE BENSCOTER, English—"Say what you mean, and mean what you say."
- ♦ LEILA A. DOYLE, Junior Library—"Will you please put your books away?"
- ♦ CLARA K. REYHER, Spanish—"Cierren Ustedes los libros."
- ♦ GLADYS PIERCE, English—"If you don't hand that work in, you'll be sorry."
- ♦ ADELE TAPPAN, English—"When I was a girl—".

Industrial Arts

- ♦ CHARLES ROGERS, Shop—"Bring in the tools."
- ♦ HENRY ROWLAND, Mechanical Drawing—"All right, let's get to work."
- ♦ JOHN HARRISON, Free Hand Drawing—"Girls chewing gum always remind me of cows."
- ♦ MRS. McDONALD, Cooking—"Substitute for Mrs. Fagan."
- ♦ EUNICE WAKE, Tech—"Believe in yourself."
- ♦ CLARA NILSSON, Clothing—"Where is your chindle?"
- ♦ BERTHA ADE, Clothing—"Girls, please!"
- ♦ CHRISTINE HAYES, Cooking—"Be sure to wash your hands."

Math and Commerce

- ♦ PHYLLIS DeMAIFFE, Social Living—"Attention please!"
- ♦ BERNICE BEELER, Commerce—"Now, let me see."
- ♦ EVELYN HOUSEKEEPER, Arithmetic—"Pass out the paper."

- ♦ ADELE GWINN, Math—"If you want to chatter, go outside."
- ♦ MINNIE TALBOT, Math—"Never mind memorizing."
- ♦ MABEL KELLER, Arithmetic—"Did you do your homework?"
- ♦ DAISY ROWE, Commerce—"Machines quiet please."

Auditorium

- ♦ GRACE SAYERS, Music—"People, I'm waiting."
- ♦ GERTRUDE PALMER, Speech—"People, we must do this right."
- ♦ MELBA CROMER, Music—"Choir practice tonight."
- ♦ HAZEL E. HARRISON, Auditorium—"We're not hearing you."
- ♦ MARGARET D. PAUL, Speech—"May I please talk now?"

Social Science

- ♦ HAZEL M. GRIEGER, History—"This is a benevolent dictatorship."
- ♦ MAMIE WOLBRANDT, Social Living—"If you people don't quit talking, we'll all stay after school."
- ♦ HENRIETTA NEWTON, History—"Nothing there today, is there?"
- ♦ MARY BAN, History—"This is a democracy."
- ♦ PHYLLIS HANSON, Social Living—"I beg your pardon."
- ♦ JESSIE PHILLIPS, Social Living—"This is a fine class."
- ♦ AARON B. CARLBERG, History—"Are there any questions growing out of the chapter?"

Science

- ♦ ESTHER BOAL, Nature study—"Be careful of the museum."
- ♦ ESTHER TINSMAN, Biology—"Civilization could not exist without biology."
- ♦ JESSE WARRUM, Chemistry—"There's nothing up here."
- ♦ FLOYD FLINN, Physics—"It doesn't just take brains, it takes study."

Each One An Emerson Product--- Keeps Us All Rolling



MILDRED BILLER—"Miss Draves takes all book rental money." ("Well—") Seeing that the store-room has enough supplies and checking out the supplies to the teachers are done ably by Mrs. Biller.

MARGUERITE DRAVES—"I'm not going to have anyone in the office who doesn't behave like a young lady or gentleman." (Ye gods and little fishes") Miss Draves sees to it that both grade and high school classes pay their book rental and that they have lockers.

MARIAN FICKES—"What say?" ("You can say that again") Giving out blue slips, checking teachers' books, and attending classes are but some of the tasks performed by Miss Fickes.

MAURINE LINK—"Emerson, Miss Link speaking." ("Jeeminy Willagens") Miss Link checks to see that all Seniors have their majors, minors, correct number of units, and correct number of points.

DOROTHY PALASZ—"Tickets do not go on sale until tomorrow." ("That kills me") When the football season is on, football tickets are sold by Miss Palasz; in basketball season, it's basketball tickets. In between times being financial secretary takes up most of her time.

MILDRED ROADES—Left Emerson School to do her "bit" with the United States Nurses Cadet Corps. Lots of luck, Miss Roades.

"Heil Hitler" in Reverse English

WE COLLECT 5,170 POUNDS OF PAPER FOR DER FUERHER'S BIRTHDAY

APRIL 21, 1944

First place winner	Eugene Kaplar 663½
Second	Eva Eloff 567
Third	De Wayne Woodring
Fourth	Morris Robinson 262

On that day the 10:30 Auditorium period topped all others with a collection of 1,804 pounds. The 3:05 period was a close second with a total of 1,802 pounds.

For the month of April, Emersonians collected 24,259 pounds. The aces were:

Duane Woodring	2476½ lbs.	Eva Eloff	2270½ lbs.
Eugene Kaplan	2149 lbs.	David Krevitz	1099 lbs.

The work of AOA helpers who went to each housekeeper reminding them of the City Tin Can Collection was a factor in raising the April collection.

On May first forty grade school girls who had taken the OCD Child Care course received their OCD certificates.

AN ALL OUT AMERICAN STAFF

LIEUTENANT COLONEL	Mary Kampouris
MAJOR OF SAFETY FOR CITYWIDE GROUP	Robert Friedman
MAJOR	Dan Basich
ADJUTANT	Maxie Woodhouse
MAJOR OF RECORDS	Jerry Gerasimo

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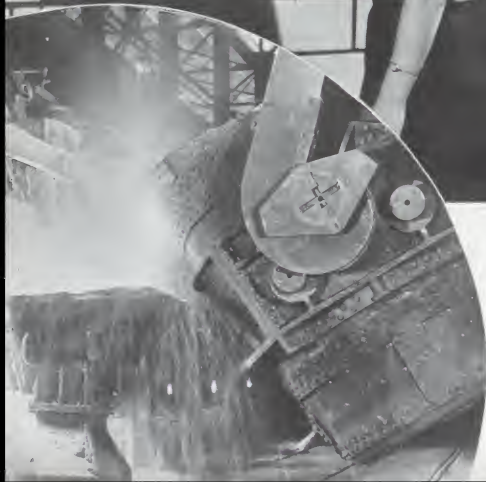
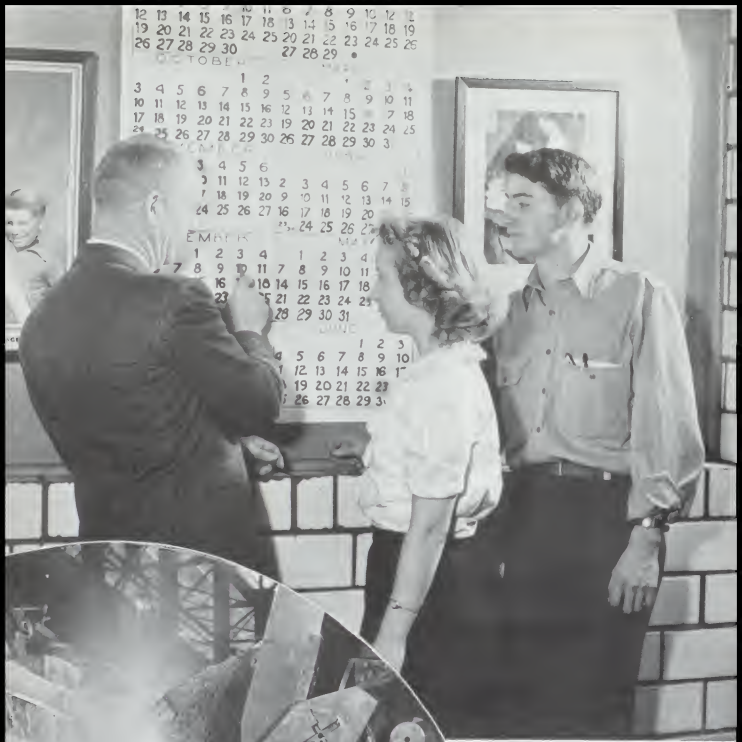
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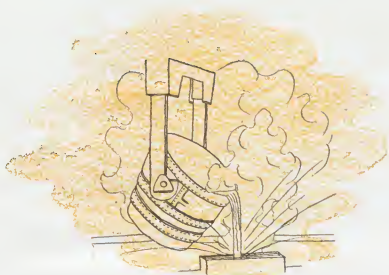
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ACTIVITIES pour into the student a mixture of elements, all essential to the process of so molding his personality that he will be refined for living—any time—any place—anywhere.



TIVITIES

Board of Control Dedicates and the First Work-

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Soph. girl rep.

CATHERINE ORGON
president G.A.A.



Back Row: Left to right: Edward Steen, Tommy Thompson, Helen Reynolds, Miss Newton, Dolores Barrick, Gerald Mulloy, Betty Collie, Bill Elwood.

Row 2: Robert Holt, Helen Brickley, Margaret Keirn, Robert Karver, Cath-

erine Sefton, Sadie Fairley, Agnes McConnell.

Row 1: Lester Mayes, Angela Escudero, Adeline Kuchta, Dorothy Puinti, Tom Hampton.



Marker to William A. Wirt

Study-Play School

"Dr. Wirt had the biggest hammer to smash tradition of any man I ever knew. You students would do well to take up the business of tradition smashing."

C. OLIVER HOLMES, member of Board of Education which employed Wm. A. Wirt

"Dr. Wirt's aim in founding the Work-Study-Play system was to give boys and girls a decent life in cities."

EVLRETT A. SPAULDING, now serving his thirty-fourth year as Emerson principal

"Mr. Wirt believed that so character was developed. So it is natural that this school, the first Work-Study-Play School, should be named Emerson—for it was Emerson who said, Character is higher than intellect—and gave to America a new slogan for a new kind of school"

MILDRED HARTER WIRT,
Director of Auditoriums

These quotations are from speeches made Monday, November 15, in the Emerson auditorium to Juniors and Seniors. The occasion was the dedication of the marker signifying the site of Dr. William A. Wirt's first Work-Study-Play school.

Purchased by student subscription, the stone monument replaced a temporary WPA marker at Seventh and Carolina. Mr. Carlberg, Sponsor of the Board of Control, had worked zealously with a committee in the Spring of 1943. In September, Mr. Carlberg, Marian Fickes, chairman, George Alexander, Betty Collie, and Ray Flanagan saw this project to completion. Jack Owen, president, presided. The Senior Class President, Mike Zakutansky made the presentation. It was a source of deep regret that bad weather made an outdoor ceremony impossible, thus limiting the participation to Juniors and Seniors.

Booster, Building and Grounds, Social, and Scholarship were again the functioning committees.

Uncle Sam called Jack Owen. Next call was for George Costley, the vice-president. The presidency then fell to Earle Moore who carried on until the end of the year.



BUILDING AND GROUNDS

Left to Right: Virginia Dwyer, Conrad Kuzma, Jack Dunn.

SCHOLARSHIP

Standing: Miss Talbot.

Row 3: Brickley, McCosh, Elwood, Landis, Fernandez, Nelson, Bocksay.

Row 2: Cannon, Mersenski, Orgon, Muniz, Skorich, Parthun, Garcia.

Row 1: Oljace, Bilski, Miller, Friedman, Gordon.



Bob Johnson

Social Committee



JEAN REECE

BOB JOHNSON

PEGGY GIBBONS

GUSSIE SETTLE



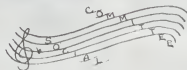
MISS REYNOLDS

JERRY MERSENSKI

ALICE CONDO

DICK COLLEY

HELEN DONAHOE



Orchids to the hard working Social Committee!! They must have worked overtime to make the social year such a success.

In addition to their usual work they arranged for a free dance every Wednesday night. They also supported a benefit dance for the Annual Staff which was "pretty swell"! The Committee has always been a practical booster of the book, and therefore the Staff is doubly grateful.

INCOGNITO

AUTHOR
DIRECTOR
BEST LINE

Charles Nasbaum

Miss Paul

"Who killed Jagendorf?" "I'm going to make one last attempt."

As her assistant in the production of this exciting and amusing espionage play, Miss Paul had Lillian Behr. The punch lines succeeded with all audiences, a good test of audience reaction.

Aboard an American pleasure ship we discover several class A cases for the F. B. I. The German spy, Jagendorf, (Earle Moore) has been murdered while he was attempting to reveal the identity of the English agent, Charles Locke, to a V-boat commander, Von Stumm (Milton Barker).

As the complication grows Captain Mitchell (Robert Karver) and Fred Collins (Bob Johnson) work on the murder of Jagendorf. Women passengers held as suspects, were Miss Hildick (Shirley Alterwitz), Helen Clark (Rose Goldman), Miss Clark's echo, Seedy Sloan (Delight DeVine), Mrs. Shulman (Dorothy Puinti), Gertrude Shields (Marion Person), Trudy Blitt (Peggy Gibbons), Mrs. Thumbull (Pat Coleman), Mrs. Bascomb (Shirley Owen), and Chic Johnson (Helen Reynolds). These characterizations clicked as did those of the U-boat sailor (Harry Johnson) and the stewardesses—Sara Garner, Lillian Klazura, and June Townsley.

Romance flourishes when Collins and Clark find they have interests in common. Clark, Sloan, and Collins are revealed as Uncle Sam's special pets, secret agents. There was no rush to have money returned, because the customers were treated fairly in the exposing of Captain Mitchell as Charles Locke, the murderer of Jagendorf.

One joy of the night of the play is always the Home Coming Dance given after the performance. Alumni return and there is visiting as well as dancing. The cast were literally starred in blue and gold as part of the decorations; Catherine Orgon planned this affair.



Lillian Behr
Standing, Left to Right: Robert Karver, June Townsley, Peggy Gibbons, Harry Johnson, Shirley Alterwitz, Milton Barker, Sara Garner, Bob Johnson, Helen Reynolds, Lillian Klazura, Earle Moore.

Seated: Lillian Behr, Marion Person, Pat Coleman, Fay Behr, Dorothy Puinti, Shirley Owen, Delight De Vine, Rose Goldman.

Bottom picture standing, Left to Right: Robert Karver, Rose Goldman, Robert Johnson, Delight De Vine.

WHAT A LIFE

Standing: Bob Blatz, Margaret Colleran, Anna Belle Reily, Chester Bokich, Mitchell Munyas, Bob Kaplar, Charles Fletcher, Dan Barrick; *Kneeling:* Marilyn Kellstrom, Betty Collie, Betty Steagall, Jeanne Anderson, Connie Garcia, Dolores Hile, Elaine Rubis, Adeline Kuchta, Betty Babilla.

Lower: Dan Barrick, Anna Belle Reily, Chester Bokich, Connie Garcia.



THE GHOST IN THE BELFRY

Standing: Blanche Bartley, Shirley Cartner, Ida Mae Sutton, Bob Shesler, Bob Preuss, Bertha Ward, Ann Yaselsky, Ray Flanagan, Jacqueline Smith, Mary Sperl, Florentine Bittner, Nell Burns; *Seated:* Julia Motta, Russell Frame, Mary Allene Cochran.

Standing: Mary Allene Cochran, Bob Shesler, Russell Frame, Jacqueline Smith, Ray Flanagan, Bob Preuss, Julia Motta; *Seated:* Bertha Ward.



The Play's The Thing

"The Ghost in The Belfry"

AUTHOR _____ Paul Pray

DIRECTOR _____ Miss Paul

BEST LINE _____ "By the time you're
bell in the belfry. The one taken
away years ago."

Thunder! Lightning! The curtain opens on Badger's Bend near the Canadian border. Eric Gregory (Ray Flanagan) and Dai Barclay (Ann Yaselsky and Jackie Smith) were childhood sweethearts to be married at a childhood rendezvous. On reaching the deserted church with their attendants, Dora Conway (Bertha Ward), Penny Clifford (Mary Allene Cochran), Rita Trask (Julia Motta), and Allen Newcomb (Russell Frame), they find that the minister, Reverend John Vagenaar (Bob Preuss), and an old inhabitant, Uriah Vinton (Robert Shesler), had not yet arrived. Meanwhile the mysterious "Phantom" appears frequently.

A bit later the Otis sisters arrive on the scene to seek shelter, Sadie (Ida Mae Burton), and Selma (Florentine Bittner). Countless mystifying things happen, such as the ringing of the church bell, long since gone, and the secret messages.

Before the audience perishes with suspense they learn that the Otis sisters turned out to be smugglers using the deserted church as a hideout. The Phantom is none other than an old sweetheart of Eric. All's well and the audience goes home to a nightmare.

Blanche Bartley was student director.

"What a Life"

AUTHOR _____ Clifford Goldsmith

DIRECTOR _____ Mrs. Palmer

BEST LINE _____ "By the time you're
in college, Henry Aldrich, your
parents will be thrown in prison
for boarding."

"May I have a pass?" "I've got to see Mr. Bradley!" Bedlam reigned in the office of the Principal of Central High School, as the Juniors enacted this engaging comedy of adolescence, presented May 26.

Henry Aldrich enters the office soon after the play opens with his "Hamlet" and ability to get into "messes." Soon his dream girl, Barbara Pearson involves him in still deeper entanglements. Because Henry's mother won't let him go to the Spring Dance unless he makes the highest grade in an exam in history, Henry cheats on the test and is caught by the Principal, Mr. Bradley and the kindly Assistant Principal, Mr. Nelson. Miss Wheeler, the band instructor, discovers band instruments missing. This mystery is solved by Detective Ferguson. Miss Shay and Mr. Nelson try, without success, to straighten out their love tangles at school. George Bigelow, Henry's pet peeve, is finally proved guilty of the band theft. The happy ending is provided by Henry's getting tickets for himself and Barbara for the dance.

Cast: Barbara Pearson, Marilyn Kellström; Mrs. Aldrich, Betty Steagall; Mr. Bradley, Bernard Padgett; Mr. Nelson, Chester Bokich; Miss Wheeler, Anna Belle Reily; Detective Ferguson, John Olejnik; Miss Shay, Enid Moise; George Bigelow, Lester Mayes; Mr. Patterson, Charles Fletcher; Miss Pike, Betty Collie; Bill, Frank Guepme and Mitchell Munyas; Miss Eggleston, Alice Pinkowski; Miss Johnson, Betty Lee Jones; Mrs. Vecchitto, Connie Garcia; Gertie, Adaline Kuchta; Mary, Wanda Chaja; Students, Betty Babilla and Jeanne Anderson.

The Juniors saw the Goodman Theatre production of "What a Life!"

Juniors Present Frolics



Row 3: Evan Evans, Nick Karras, Mary Kampouris, Boris Apostoloff, Leonard Everett, Margaret Orr, Donald Taylor, Stanley Strissel, Allen Fink;
Row 2: Lillian Kaplar Maynard Krueger, Mary Ann Plunkett, Richard Jackson, Louis Kampouris, Leonard Borter, Betty Dawson, Melvin Edwards, Mary Nepsha;
Row 1: Kenneth Bassett, Jacqueline Cobbler, Barbara Bock, David Krevitz, Doyle Shoup, Tom Mercer, Martha Garner, Jackie Kennedy, Nancy McNiece, Juanita Shotts.

Hear Ye! Hear Ye! Come one! Come all! Yes, that was the old barker himself (Don Larson) inviting you to spend an evening at the "Junior Frolics" on October 29. We were sitting in our seats eating popcorn while the band was playing (Richard Swan and Troup) and the clowns strutted (Melvin Edwards and Socrates Evdokious). Then the drums were rolled loud (Ridgely Wurl) and the master of ceremonies (Connie Fenton) stepped forward to announce that "Great Player" of the electric guitar, Danny Molchan.

During the intermission Nick Karras sang a solo and Elvira Gutierrez did one of her beautiful Spanish dances. At the sideshow we saw and heard Gerry Gerasimo and his imitations; that Great Doctor Sawbone Act starring Maynard Krueger, Leslie Davies, and George Kaminski; and a discussion on baseball by Tony Ottomanelli.

It was soon time for the finale which was introduced by the bugler, Ray Durilla. It was a patriotic affair of dances and songs, closing with a colorful demonstration of national groups.

Some folks look for the first robin in the spring. At Emerson we anticipate the processional of the Junior Choir at the Christmas Pageant; their singing "Under the Stars"; and the boy soprano singing "The Birthday of the King." This year the soprano was Nick Karras.

Miss Melba Cromer, present director, organized the Junior Choir. The group membership is limited to thirty. In addition to being on the program at the Spring Concert, this organization performed at many community gatherings, notably The Music and Allied Arts Club.

CIRCUS

Backrow: Robert Hybarger, Carl Apostoloff, Donald Kepshire, Robert Basick, Ridgely Wurl, Eugene Kaplan, Richard Swan, Shirley Smeltzer, Pearl Polsky, Jeanne Fisher, Leslie Claussen, Glen Griffin, Joe Miniti, Johnny Castrinos, Don Larson; Front Row: Danny Taylor, Melvin Edwards, Tom Petrakis, George Galoozie, Emil Wilus, Robert Skinner, George Talus, Don Smith, Socrates Evodkiou, Dorothy Nusscar; Forward Group, Left: Higgins, Harry Sutcliffe, Harley Harkness, Stanley Rzepka; Forward Group, Right: Bob Grand, Jim McGlaughlin, Juanita Calhoun, Sally Jones, Doris Pichitine, Nancy Prasco; Under Eagle: Steve Yelich, James Aydelotte, Nick Karras, Boris Apostoloff, Donald Taylor, Evan Evans, Robert Davis, Leonard Borter.

EAGLES

Row 2: Nick Belfe, Donald Smith, Paul Gulledge, Alex Buring, Vernon Smith, James Platis, John Copeland Tom, Mercer, Charles Harding, Carl Wells; Row 1: Donald Smith, Louis Kampouris, Maynard Krueger, Jackie Kennedy, David Krevitz, Richard Meyne, Doyle Shoup, James Young, Frank Chaja.

WORKERS AND CAST

Back Row: Steve Pangiotis Paul Angotti, Sara Garner, Stephanie Rashevich, Mirke Vrtikapa, Dick Kemp, Charles Vargo, Norman Green, Bob Kaplar, Cushman Lineback, Raymond Durella, Danny Molchan; Front Row: Donald Larson, John Valenti, Leslie Glenn, Leonard Everett, James Edwards, Maxine Woodhouse, Elvira Gutierrez, Connie Fenton, Tony Ottomanelli, John Booher, Jerry Gerasimo, Leo Roth.

DANCERS

Front Row: Louise Kampouris, Twila Harding, Ann Palmer, Margaret Beard, Adrienne Michnik, Barbara Brown, Jeanne Tidwell, Mary Kampouris; Left Panel: top to bottom: Helen Leiber, Lillian Dolatowski, Lotetta Martinez, Kay Irwin, Tommie Sue Pae, Jean Lincoln; Center Panel: Dolores DaPerna, Beverley Richardson, Betty Kozak, Ruby Kortades, Anita DiRe, Greta Isenberg; Right Panel: Olga Datlich, Elvira Gutierrez, Mary Thanos, Anna Vrtikapa, Pat Rhoades, Sevassia Vlisidas.



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Dolich
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OFFICERS

President _____ Bob Johnson

Vice-President *Bob Johnson*
Patricia Coleman

Girls' Treasurer _____ June Townsley

Boys' Treasurer _____ John Bizanes

Girls' Librarian _____ Alice Pinkowski

Alice Pinkowski
Director _____ Miss Sayers

Row 8: Robert Johnson, Bob Gallagher;

Row 7: Frances Tenta, Dick Hall, Don Felts;

Row 6: Tom Hampton, Miss Sayers, Ned Pieske;

Row 5: Ed Wroblewski, Bessie Kolettis, Robert Shesler, Eddie Oljace;

Row 4: Jane Ann Legg, Betty Templeton, Phyllis Saffran, Dorothy Davis;

Row 3: Edith Wotherspoon, Alice Pinkowski, Lillian Klazura, Helene Karras;

Row 2: Helen Yura, Betty Poulos, Irene Metaxes, Marilyn Kellstrom;

Row 1: Mona Finton, Stephanie Rashevich, June Townsley, Shirley Owen.

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Row 7: Jack Schaff, John Bizanes;

Row 6: James Fox, George Calhoun, Dan Barrick, Ray Kennedy.

Row 5: John George, Bob Holt, John Plunkett;

Row 4: Delores Piascki, Marilyn Lee, Frances Smothers, Dorothy Lewandowski;

Row 3: Jeanne Anderson, Ruth Ann Waitt, Helen Brickley, Joyce Banker;

Row 2: Margaret Colleran, Patricia Coleman, Betty Babilla, Elaine Glenn;

Row 1: Betty Steagall, Esqueline Burton, Rosemary Felts, Judith Garfine, Margaret Kerr.

EVENTS

City Church December 14

Christmas Pageant December 17

Spring Concert May 31

Baccalaureate June 18

Commencement June 19

"OKLAHOMA"

Most popular song
"The Choral Blessing"

Least-liked song
"The Poor Wayfaring Stranger"





GLEE CLUB

Row 4: Phyllis Saffran, Betty Templeton, Helen Yuro, Bessie Kolettis, Dorothy Davis, Edith Wotherspoon, Gloria Hansen, Betty Babilla, Jeanne Anderson, Ruth Ann Waitt;
 Row 3: Jane Ann Legg, Kathleen McGuire, Betty Steagall, Marilyn Kellstrom, Dorothy Lewandowski, Delores Irzyk, Delores Piasecki, Helen Brickley, Marian Babilla, June Townsley, Miss Grace Bayers;
 Row 2: Mildred Samples, Helen Wellman, Stephanie Rashevich, Delight DeVine, Lois Nelson, Bessie Pantinas, Phyllis Miller, Lillian Klazura, Alice Pinkowski, Lois Svendsen;
 Row 1: Nancy Brown, Doris McDaniel, Wanda Chaja, Betty Lee Jones, Elaine Glenn, Esqueline Burton, Norma Smith, Peggy Keirn, Mary Ann Gordon.

OFFICERS

President Betty Babilla
 Vice-President Jeanne Anderson
 Treasurer Phyllis Miller
 Librarians Margaret Collieran
 Betty Steagall
 Best-liked piece "When Johnny Comes Marching Home"
 Least-liked piece "The Prayer"

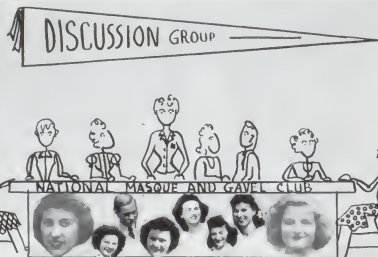
EVENTS

I. S. T. A. Convention October 22
 WAVES Broadcast November 23
 City Church December 14
 Congregational Church December 17
 Christmas Pageant December 17
 Spring Concert May 31
 Commencement June 19
 "Oklahoma" "Tannhauser"

Student Forum

Discussion Group—as drawn by Virginia: Betty Steagall, Bernard Padgett, Sara Garner, Mrs. Palmer, Anna Belle Reily, Chester Bokich, Rose Goldman, Enid Moine.
 Gavel Club—Dorothy Puinti, Pat Coleman, Bob Johnson, Shirley Owen, Rose Goldman, Shirley Alterwitz, Delight DeVine, Sara Garner.

Gavel Club



Barrick Third in Rotary - Goldman Wins Discussion

"Does Youth Want Social Security From the Cradle to the Grave?" On April 4, Emerson students heard this question discussed, pro and con, with Dr. Byron Williams of *Our Times* acting as moderator. Bernard Padgett presided. Sara Garner, Rose Goldman, Enid Moise, and Betty Steagall were the participants. Rose was declared winner.

The Emerson Chapter of National Masque and Gavel Club welcomed to membership Shirley Alterwitz, Patricia Coleman, Delight DeVine, Sara Garner, Rose Goldman, Bob Johnson, Dorothy Pointi, and Shirley Owen. Since 1936, 83 Emerson students have been honored. Each year alumni are invited to the banquet. Dean Harens is in Hollywood having finished a picture with Deanna Durbin. Stanley Dankowski and Tom Jewett are in the famous film city working on stage design and lighting. Mladen Sekulovich and Don Hammer are in the Army Show hav-

ing the distinction of being accepted from a group of twelve hundred applicants.

Make-up, stage design, direction, and production were the chief concerns. "The Wicked Wang-Pa", "Madame Butterfly", and "Is Romance Dead?" were enthusiastically received. As a final examination, each student presented a skit. The class liked particularly the study of Shakespeare.

"Eternal Life" was presented at Easter. So successful was this production that the First Presbyterian Church asked for a performance on April 16.

Another signal honor given the Dramatic Class was the invitation extended by the Central Christian Church to the 1943 Cast of the traditional Easter play "Everyman" to produce the play as a feature of the celebration of the congregation's twenty-fifth anniversary, July, 1943.

On Ladder: Dick Kemp; *Standing:* Alice Pinkowski, Jim Icnogle, Rose Goldman, Charles Fletcher, Harry Johnson, Helen Yuro, Shirley Alterwitz, Joyce Banker, Bob Johnson, Phyllis Cramer; *Seated:* Norma Heistand, Pat Fisch, Betty Poulos, Enid Moise, Doris McDaniel, Delight DeVine; *Make Up:* *Standing:* Edward Kieft; *Seated:* Shirley Constar, Doris Dobrick.

Kneeling: Candida Garcia, Betty Poulos; *2nd Row:* Edward Thompson, Doris McDaniel; *Standing:* Leo Noe.

Left to Right: Consuelo Garcia, Enid Moise, Ed Madden, Chester Henson; *2nd Row:* Dorothy Pointi.



Steel Necessary To Music

MAJORETTES

Met every Tuesday
Greatest ambition of each:
To wear white uniforms

ORCHESTRA

Get-together, October 5
Christmas Party, December 16
Mid-Winter Concert, February 4
Spring Concert, May 19

Favorites

Beethoven's "Sixth Symphony"
Liszt's "Hungarian Rhapsody"

ANN MISTROVICH
"Cincinnati"

HUBERT S. WARREN
"Now you're making it
hard for me."

SAM BOBELE
"What you need is
wheaties"



BOYS' BAND

Football Games
Armistice Day
Annual Concert, April 14

GIRLS' BAND

Potluck, December 6
Annual Concert, April 14

STANDOUTS

Bob Johnson, drum major
Tom Hampton, twirler

STANDOUTS

Lois Wardrip, clarinetist
Beryl Fuller, cornetist



ORCHESTRA OFFICERS

Third Row: Frances Smothers, Mary Pierce, Marian Babilla, Ed Mohr; *Second Row:* Mary Ann Gordon, Elaine Glenn, Betty Gaynor, Harriet Mericle; *First Row:* George Alexander, Sara Garner.

BOYS' BAND OFFICERS

Rear: Arthur Benjamin, Rudolph Romischer, Leland Penrod, Bob Johnson, Keith Fink, Donald Felts; *Front:* Ned Miller, Marion Babilla.
Lower Pictures: Mid-Winter Orchestra Concert: Mary Pierce, Sara Garner, Marian Babilla, Harriet Mericle, Betty Gaynor.

GIRLS' BAND OFFICERS

Standing: Carolyn Locke, Honora Sullivan, Pat Fisch, Pauline Titak, Ann Parthun; *Seated:* Beryl Fuller, Angeline Escudero.

TWIRLERS' CLUB CONCERT

Judy Ann Houser, Helen Cunningham, Marjorie Bailey.



FULL STOP
STEPPING HIGH





In these lists, names are placed in order of their achievement, with first name occupying first chair.

BOYS' BAND

1st CLARINET: Leland Penrod, Robert Dawson, Martin Landis, James Nonus, Elaine Glenn, Allen Combs. 2nd CLARINET: Bill Platis, Robert Urban, Robert Boone, Paul Walker, Ernest Brunty James Ronchi. 3rd CLARINET: Bill Wood, Arthur Roy, Bill Guelinaz, Joe Minniti, Bill Kuckuck. FLUTE AND PICCOLO: Charles Vargo, Mona Finton, Rudolph Mohr. SAXOPHONE: Arthur Benjamin, Constantine Theoharis, Bernice Miecznikowski, Percy Zukauckas. BASS CLARINET: Norman Robinson. FRENCH HORN: Shirley Owen, Phyllis Miller,

Boris Apostoloff, Russell Frame, Frances Smothers. BARITONE: Stanley Strissel, Kenneth Hill, Robert Todd. SOLO CORNETS: Ned Miller, Keith Fink, Eugene Griffith, Jack Wilczynski. 1st CORNET: John Dolarowski, Donald Felts, Rudolph Romischer, Ronald Brown. 2nd CORNET: Leonard Everett, Bob Yesh, Cushman Lineback, Harry Dennison. 3rd CORNET: George Stanley, Joe Mustafa, Daniel Rottenberg. TROMBONE: Robert Burger, Edward Steen, Robert Shesler, Gerry Goldman, Charles Fletcher, James Fox. BASSES: Bob Johnson, Harry Johnson, Richard Hile, Marion Babilla. BASS DRUM: Jack White: SNARE DRUMS: Bill MacLeod, Bruce Cowen, George Alexander, Richard Sunderland, Melvin Lierman, Robert Williamson.





Concert Orchestra according to chair: 1st VIOLIN: Bob Kaplar, Louis Kampouris, Richard Oljace, Louis Magrames, Oscar Alterwitz, Donald Oljace, Nick Karras, Donald Nikchevich, Frank Brudnachowski, Louisa DiRe. 2nd VIOLIN: Adrianne Bockskay, Robert Freedman, Richard Carldberg, Kathryn Gibson, Pat Kuzma, Robert Combs, Nick Lemakis, Tony Bokich, Edward Grabczyk, Paul Stropke, Bertha Colecchi, Christine Angelos. CELLO: Mary Pierce, Helen Miller, Frances

Smothers, Janet Coros, Frances Juarez, Robert Tippy. VIOLAS: Betty Gaynor, Patty Hansen, Marceil Haviland. BASS: Marion Babilla, Harriette Mericle, Betty Randle, Ted Mohr, Irene Metaxes. FLUTE: Sara Garner. CLARINET: Barbara Prokop, Ruth Ann Waitt. PIANO: Dorothy Davis. CORNET: Edward Oljace, Carl Carnahan, Karrol Stevens, Ben O'Melia, Paul Negovan. TROMBONE: Ray Flanagan, Ed Steen. PERCUSSION: George Alexander. FRENCH HORN: Margaret Keirn.





SOLO CLARINET: Lois Wardrip, Betty White, Theresa Stawicki, Beatrice Trimble, Mary Ann Reed, Helen Fidler. 2nd CLARINET: Ann Yaselsky, Helen Cunningham, Ann Parthun, Betty Hamilton, Agnes McConnell, Betty Rhetorik. 3rd CLARINET: Joan Hile, Georgia A. Corliss, Donna Delaney, Blanche Bartley, Virginia Goodwin, Maudie Johnson, Alice Panlovich, Pat Rhodes. SOPRANO SAX: Honora Sullivan. ALTO SAX: Bernice Mienzkowski, Patricia Boone. TENOR SAX: Adeline Kuchta. BASS CLARINET: Betty Keever. BASSES: Sue Umpleby, Barbara Smith, Irene Manos, Radimilla Puj. SOLO CORNETS: Beryl Fuller, Betty Babilla, Callero Coutouzis, Angeline Capony. 1st CORNETS: Norma Rodgersen, Connie Komorowski,

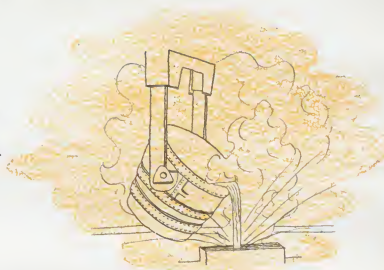
Ruby Kollandis, Elizabeth Ciarfaglia. 2nd CORNETS: Mary Lou Owen, Phyllis Muros, Jeanette Genduso, Mildred Samples, Georgetta Barth. BASSOON: Alora Wagner, Lily Wampler. ALTO CLARINET: Patricia Fisch, Rosemary Felts. BELLS: Patricia Fisch, Rosemary Felts. PICCOLO AND FLUTE: Pauline Titak, Dorothy Lewandowski, Elaine Jenkins, Dorothy Kephire, Mary Thanos, Mary Poole, Doris Coffman. FRENCH HORNS: Evelyn Halvatgis, Emma Marmolyn, Helen Shendoick. DRUMS: Angela Escudero, Carolyn Locke, Barbara Rhynerson, Alice Logan. TROMBONES: Esqueline Burton, Margaret Keirn, Rosemary Crumley, Leanne Taylor, Shirley Hamer, Barbara Cato, Alice Butts, Edith Mason.





Sergeant
Cecil W. Johnson

R. O. T. C.



Standing: Paul Stanko Keith Fink, Leland Penrod, Sgt. Johnson; *Kneeling:* Ned Miller, Harold Rickard.

Steel True



Lt. Bill Elwood—Co. I 2nd Platoon leader; Capt. Gilbert Mueller—Co. L commander; Lt. Don Vincent—Co. I 3rd Platoon; Lt. Paul Stanko—Co. I adjutant; Lt. Tom Thompson—Co. L 1st Platoon leader; Lt. Robert Cannon—Co. K 2nd Platoon leader; Maj. Bill Lierman—2nd in command of battalion; Capt. Alex Bozich—Co. K commander; Lt. John Carija—Co. L adjutant; Lt. Bob Hodges—Co. I 1st platoon; Capt. Bob Ferguson—Co. I commander; Lt. Gordon Janney—Co. L 2nd Platoon leader; Lt. Richard Hile—Co. K adjutant; Lt. Col. Jerry Mersenski—2nd in command of the regiment.

Lt. Bob Hodges

This year's unit, the largest ever organized at Emerson, started with an enrollment of 252. The war situation has not changed the primary objective of the Reserve Officers' Training Unit, namely, to develop not only good soldiers but also responsible citizens. R.O.T.C. training qualifies a cadet for the rank of a non-commissioned officer in the infantry.

Physical fitness plays an important role in the everyday life of the cadets. The drilling and instructing is done according to a schedule made by Lt. Col. Chauncey H. Hayden, Professor of Military Science and Tactics for the Gary regiment. Sergeant Cecil W. Johnson and Sergeant Charles Hull were in charge of the Emerson unit.

On February 7 in an auditorium session Col. Hayden announced the cadet officers and the winners of the *Chicago Tribune* medals. Lt. Bill Edwood received the third year medal, and Sgt. Leland Penrod received the second year medal.

On this occasion the company commanders received new guidons. Three master sergeants or sergeant majors were created. As compared with twelve last year, the unit has sixteen commissioned officers. Emerson also had two lieutenant colonels on the regimental staff.

In March the Rifle Team fired in the Culver challenge with Lt. Paul Stanko being rated high man for the Gary Team. The team, in this match, placed third. At the Hearst Trophy

Blade Straight

Match, the Gary team drew second and third places. These trainees were put through their course by Sgt. Johnson. Rifle Team members competing were Lt. Paul Stanko, Sgt. Ned Miller, Sgt. Leland Penrod, S. Sgt. Milan Uzelac, Master Sgt. Keith Fink, Sgt. Harold Rickard, and Sgt. John Bizanes.

Lieutenant Colonel Jerry Mersenski served as second in command of the Gary regiment. The honor of being named the outstanding platoon of the year went to Company K commanded by Lieutenant Robert Cannon.

In the flag-bedecked hall of the Gary Armory, once again Chivalry and Beauty ruled at the Annual Military Ball, held Saturday, April 15. The ball opened by the posting of the Colors. This was followed by the presentation of commissions and awards by Col. Hayden.

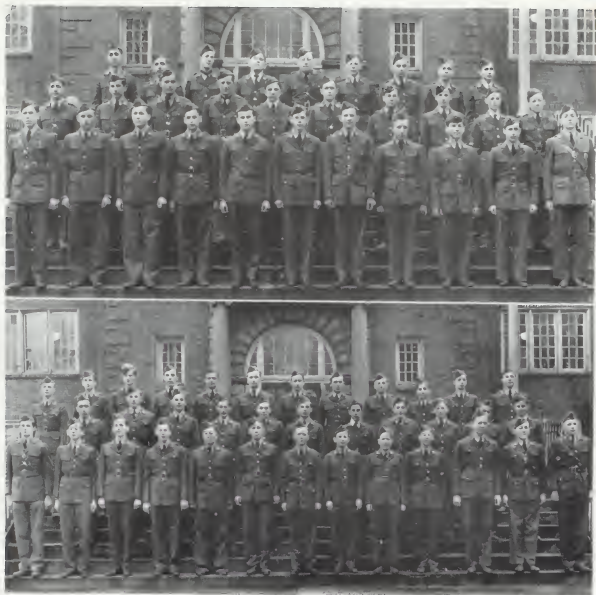
Major William G. Lierman and Staff Sgt. Rudolph Romischer received the American Legion Post 17 award for military efficiency. The Auxiliary of this post presented an award for neatness and military bearing to Master Sgt. Keith Fink. To Cadet William H. Butner went the Rotary Club's award for military efficiency. Scholastic standing and military efficiency were recognized in the *Chicago Tribune* awards to Lt. Col. Ray Knezevich (scholastic) and Staff Sgt. Louis Magrames (military efficiency). After this ceremony, the cadets and their partners danced to Mickey Isley's music.

Federal inspection was conducted in May by the Fifth Service Command.

The last official act of the seniors as cadets was the marching of their units in the Memorial Day parade.

WE SALUTE OLD GLORY—*Visitor:* Fred Haslett; *Detail:* Paul Stanko, Richard Hile, Louis Magrames, Paul Stropke; *Raising Flag:* Arthur Jasoviack; *On Steps:* Bill Costley, Helen Donahoe, Merritt Lesch, Bernice Grakey, Eugene Miller.





COMPANY I—FIRST PLATOON

Row 3: L. Penrod, B. Rottenberg, J. Carew, J. Weissbuch, E. Moore, R. Brown, C. Niepkof, E. Gurniewicz, M. Maragos.

Row 2: C. Bokich, R. Vrtikapa, A. Weiss, A. Nasicka, T. Bilski, C. Nedbala, K. Stevens, J. McLoughlin, E. Steen, E. Shubert.

Row 1: P. Stanko, M. Uzelac, J. Ronchi, R. Mann, B. Razumich, R. Ryan, H. Cislak, G. Gasper, G. Raysses, N. Miller, L. Miller.

SECOND PLATOON

Row 3: H. Rickard, S. Cowen, N. Miller, B. Costley, J. Jancarich, B. McLeod, T. Young, J. Chontor, J. Palmer, M. McCosh, R. Crane, B. Lierman.

Row 2: A. Benjamin, C. Ciesielski, H. Malicki, L. Weiss, C. Lineback, P. Sopko, B. Guthzeit, N. Robinson, D. Janey, C. Zeller, R. Olis.

Row 1: B. Hodges, R. Romischer, W. James, S. Zemel, B. Parker, S. Kokos, B. Elwod, K. Wallace, R. Swanson, B. Jennings, J. Wilczynski, R. Hile, T. Thompson.

COMPANY K—SECOND PLATOON

Row 4: S. Auld H. Johnson, M. Adams, J. Frame, J. Brennan, C. Bewick, F. Brudnachowski, G. Calhoun.

Row 3: C. Fletcher, G. Platis, R. Oljace, J. Despanion, V. Gurgevich, R. Kennedy, B. Watkins, D. McLaren, A. Cohen, R. Petrovich.

Row 2: J. Bizanes, J. Nonus, J. Stanton, B. Cooper, G. Castrinos, J. Popoff, J. Dolatowski, D. Necco, M. Landis, D. Krouse, J. Kaplan.

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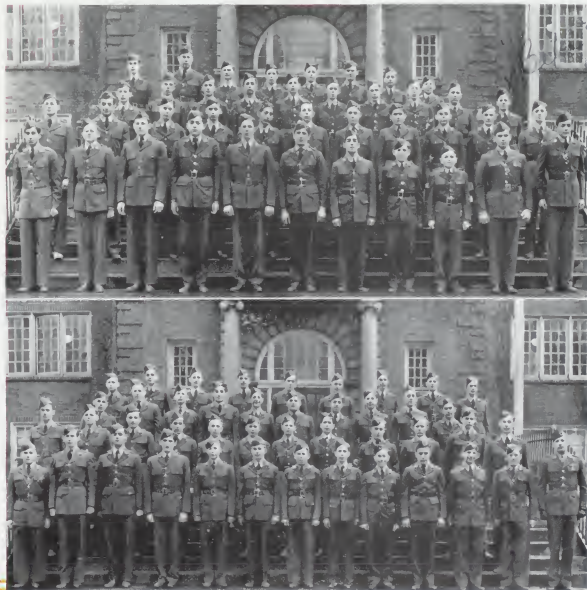
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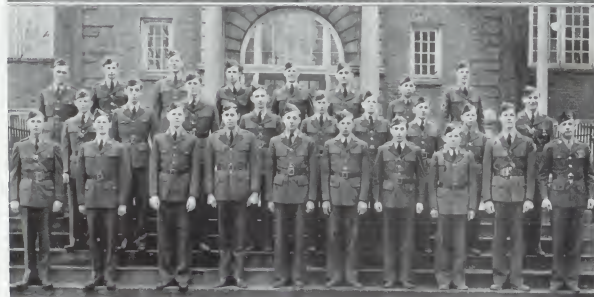
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Row 3: R. Kaplar, J. Sewell, G. Mulloy, H. Lazar, D. Cefali, L. Vidal, S. Sargis, D. Barrick, G. McKinney, G. Alexander.

Row 2: D. Kemp, M. Lesch, F. Tenta, D. Colley, A. Gasper, B. Holt, J. Plunkett, H. Conray, J. Finnerty, D. Starynski, B. Gallagher, L. Rothman.

Row 1: J. Mersenski, H. Dilin, L. Magrames, R. Kozar, B. Foster, H. Frankowski, L. Settle, C. Surowiec, A. Smith, G. Monfort, A. Rackoff, D. Dammarell, Sgt. Johnson.





COMPANY L—FIRST PLATOON

Row 3: E. Griffith, W. Sullivan, I. Karras, R. Flanagan, J. Icenogle, P. Foster, C. Carnahan, B. O'Melia, G. Goldman, J. Weiss, H. Sutcliffe, G. Riegler.

Row 2: G. Zayats, E. Miller, J. Smith, J. Irak, H. Kouloutparis, R. Kutch, A. Combs, R. Gagliardi, J. Adams, M. Roth, H. Rhoades, J. Welsh.

Row 1: M. Tippy, G. Uselton, R. Berquist, R. Warren, H. Antczak, B. Grand, C. Vas, J. Halvatgis, J. Cummer, E. Brunty, A. Jascoviak, G. Mueller, R. Knezovich.

COMPANY I—THIRD PLATOON

Row 3: J. Skorich, R. Toth, C. Vargo, P. Stropke, L. Mayes, R. Yesh, M. Mihal, K. Fink.

Row 2: G. Janney, E. Cooper, J. Cieply, R. Gondell, R. Rankin, J. King, R. Currie, F. Guemple, B. Ferguson.

Row 1: B. Elwood, H. Edelson, E. Koenig, B. Reid, W. Titus, T. Cox, T. Mohr, J. Irwin, J. Carija, Sgt. Johnson.

Candy Sellers Give Us "V" Vitamin

"Hershey" did not mean selective service to Miss Ban and her helpers. It meant, "How can we get enough Hershey bars to satisfy the customers?" Candy was certainly not the simplest commodity in the world to get. Potato chips were sold also. The candy counter had to be moved out of the Conservatory because a Purdue office moved in for the duration. However, Miss Ban and her enterprising



Enid Moise

saleswomen and men sold in the hall as successfully as they did in the Conservatory.

Phyllis Neubaum, Shirley Meyer, and Rosemary Cummer were the Candy Captains and they did a fine piece of work for Brigadier Ban. Remember, many of the special layouts you enjoy in this book were made possible through these candy sales. Thank you, Miss Ban.



Standing: Anna Bucko, Marianna Petrakos, Hortense Castedo, Enid Moise, Helen Checkon, Rosemary Komlenich, Fay Behr, Betty Ferguson, Alice Weiss, Phyllis Neubaum; Kneeling: Jim Irwin



WE "DOOD" IT

"Where there's a will, there's a way." The "will" was never lacking but the "way" frequently was. Uncle Sam and employment left us with a small staff. Materials were scarce. Engravers, photographers, cover makers, and printer had their own particular problems which affected the production of the book. Our sponsor says we were as rugged as our theme. In keeping with staff democratic traditions, all of us had a hand in all of the activities.

The Booster Committee had a special pep meeting for us. The staff members were on the stage and were introduced. Soldier Bob Gile on furlough gave a graphic account of what it means to be "a million miles from home" and to go over your school annual with your buddies. Miss Hartnett, new member of the Physical Education Faculty, gave some telling facts about having a yearbook.

Wednesday, November 3, we were hosts to the Annual Publications Conference. All our eight Gary public schools were represented at this function. Professor Robert E. Wolsley presided at the clinic session on the newspaper assisted by

his students, Miss Betty Caldwell, and Miss Ruth Moss. At the yearbook clinic session, Miss Wagner presided.

On March 31, the Social Committee allowed us to give a benefit dance. At this dance students balloted for ten senior personalities, five boys and five girls. We certainly were thankful that Miss Tinsman and Miss Ban were there to help. After the dance, we adjourned to Garner's to select the remaining ten, and to enjoy the delicious refreshments Mr. and Mrs. Garner served.

May 7, we had a truly glorious time seeing "Oklahoma."

Dorothy Puinti and Larry Miller shared the responsibility of co-editors until Uncle Sam decided he needed Larry in the Air Corps. Bob Johnson took over. Jerry Mersenski, Bob Hodges, and Don Vincent worked on the staff first semester.

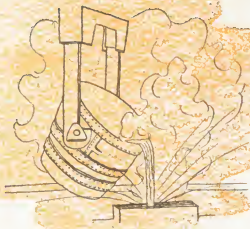
Tom Hampton, Peggy Keirn, Catherine Orgon, Alice Pinkowski, and Anshel Rackoff tried out for associate membership on the staff. Alice Pinkowski and Catherine Orgon made the grade, Alice sold 50, Catherine 57. To be an associate member requires the selling of fifty books. All



At back table: Anna Belle Reily, Rose Goldman, Mrs. Greenwald, Alice Pinkowski, Tom Hampton, Jerry Mersenski; At front table: Bob Hodges, Pat Coleman, John Gurnewicz, Virginia Dwyer

On table: Mike Zakutansky, Seated at front table: Millie Orgon, Connie Garcia, Dorothy Punkt; Seated at back table: Larry Miller, Peggy Keirn; Standing: Bob Johnson, Sara Garner, Don Vincent

regular staff members must sell twenty-five. Catherine Orgon and Mike Zakutansky should receive a special mention for all their extra work, we named Mike a regular member. Anna Belle Reily was the super saleswoman with a record of 60 books. The total sales, 610 yearbooks.



Survivors From Iron Ore to Finished Product

DOROTHY PUNTI Co-Editor

ROSE GOLDMAN Business Manager

Pat Coleman Senior copy, copy editor, scrapbook

Connie Garcia Layout, dummy, copy

Sara Garner Senior pictures, typing, copy

BOB JOHNSON Co-Editor

VIRGINIA DWYER Art Editor

John Gurnewicz Layout, dummy, copy

Irene Palasz Service list, copy, typing

Irene Pawlowski Scrapbook, copy

Anna Belle Reily Asst. Business Mgr., copy, star saleswoman

Mike Zakutansky Basketball copy, scrapbook

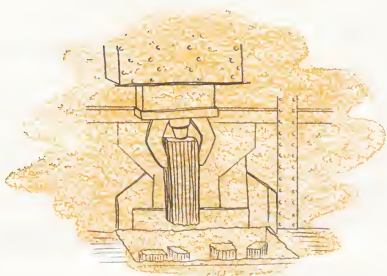
Larry Miller
Alice Pinkowski





A T

As the ingot is dropped into the pit for even heating and is rolled into a usable product so does ATHLETICS put the student into a pit from which he emerges strong in physique and sound in character.



ATHLETICS



ARTHUR J. ROLFE

"If brains were sold at a penny a pound, you wouldn't even buy a pound."

Steel Able to Take It

We
33
52
7
2
7
12
6
12
2

133

Horace Mann
Tolleston
Whiting
South Bend Central
Hammond
Washington E. C.
Proviso
Froebel
Lew Wallace

Totals

They
0
0
13
32
32
0
0
0
12

89

MANAGERS—

Going down: Bobby Alger, Joe Sewell, Bill Kane, Martin Paligraph



Back Row: Carl Carnahan, Eugene Miller, Jim Nonus, George McKinney, Louis Genduso, Albert Abraham, Emmett Bosak, Milton Barker, Meritt Lesch, Jack Schaff

8th Row: Joe Jancarich, Tom Burns, Jack Owen, Bill Costley, Don Hamang, Dick Colley, Louis Vidal, Mike Coutouzis, Conrad Kuzma, John Bizanes

7th Row: Joey Anderson, Nick Pantinas, Louis Karras, Martin Rabinovitz, John Chontos, George Hansen, Knowles Stubbs, Frank Mihal, Henry Antczak, Bob Yesh, Stanley Wellence

6th Row: Dan Ciarfaglia, Bill Oliver, James Finnerty, Charles Bewick, Mike Coros, Melvin Tippy, Steve Kokos, Jack Palmer, Mike Doneff, Henry Malick

7th Row



5th Row: Marty Paligraph, Bill Levack, Harry Conroy, John Plunkett, Joe Smith, John Dnnley, John Carija, Edmund Brown, Robert Cunningham, Ed Thompson, Fred Bednar.

4th Row: Coach Rolfe, Bernard Olis, Bob Grand, Dom Cifali, Bob Ryan, Alex Naziatka, Mirko Vrtikapa, Ray Flanagan, George Boskovich, Bob Reid, Roddy Dotlich, Bill Devoney, James King, Coach Klug.

3rd Row: Joe Sewell, Nick Miller, Philip Sopko, Jack Burke, George Raysses, Steve Pangiotis, Lester Mayes, Francis Gant, Richard Hybarger, Bob Preuss, Jack Boober, Bob Steinmetz

2nd Row: Bill Kane, John Barrick, Bill Owen, Bill Wellman, Jim Carson, Bob Boone, Louis Castrinos, Don Kirksey, Sam Ranzinn, Jerome Muras, Richard Bonick

1st Row: Bob Alger, Charles Chirloy, Robert Koyle, Paul Kutch, John Alley, Peter Ilinkovich, Ralph Settle, Cliff Kenealy, Jack Egan, Eddie Orgon, Pete Chiarmonte.

The Open Hearth of Competition Makes The Player

STATISTICS TELL THE STORY

We		They
20	Touchdowns	14
9	Extra Points	3
93	First Downs	61
1497	Yards Gained Rushing	1054
496	Yards Gained Passing	296
26	Passes Completed	20
54	Passes Incompleted	59
11	Passes Intercepted	11
16	Own Fumbles Recovered	12
8	Opponent's Fumbles Recovered	12
2	Safety's	0



NORSEMEN OF "44"



BERNARD OLIS

JACK OWEN

STANLEY WELLENCE

FRESHMAN

Back Row: Preuss, Gant, Beskovich, Yesh, Nasiatka, Reid, Mihal, Flanagan, Mayes, Dotlich, Pangiotis, Coach Klug. *Second Row:* Muras, Boone, Robinson, Raysses, Booher, Vrtikapa, Castrinos, Sopko, Wellman, King, Bonick, Ranzino, Wilusz. *First Row:* Pasuit, Barrick, Carson, Doyle, Settle, Kenealy, Kutch, Egan, Orgon, Alley, Burke, Kane.



RESERVES

Standing: Vidal, Adams, Palmer, Cefali, Sewell, Carija, Malicki, Ryan, Cunningham. *Kneeling:* Paligraph, Conroy, Hewick, Finnerty, Plunkett, Thompson, Kokos, Apathy, Kane, Alger.

The Tornado Has Steel Springs

FRESHMAN RECORD

We		They
19	Tolleston	0
8	Froebel	6
21	Lew Wallace	0
43	Roosevelt	13
27	Washington E. C.	6
43	Tolleston	0
13	Horace Mann	6
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174	Opponents	31

Stanley Wellence piloted the Rolfemen to five wins and four losses as the other captain, Willie Biernat, had been called by Uncle Sam last summer. Of the five games won, Emerson was unscored upon, and in all nine games our opponents were allowed an average of only ten points a game.

At the annual football banquet held November 17, Bernard Olis was chosen the most valuable player. His eighty-six yard run in the Tolleston game was a sports' page highlight. Memorable also was Levack's "victory pass" pulled down by Bernie to defeat Proviso.

Emerson was represented on the 1943 North Western Indiana High School Conference All-Star First Team by looming Louis Karras, a sophomore, at tackle. Bernard Olis, Stanley Wellence, and Bill Levack were placed on the second team.

During the dance following the Wallace-Emerson game, at which the team was honored, Dorothy Puinti was crowned Football Queen of the 1943 season by the squad.

RESERVE RECORD

	We	They
Tolleston	18	0
Washington E. C.	7	6
Wallace	0	0
Washington E. C.	7	0
Horace Mann	12	6
Froebel	8	7
Wallace	6	9
Roosevelt	19	6
Tolleston	19	12
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	96	46

40 Bernard Olive Back 39 William Kestler
Tackle 38 Joe Anderson Back 37 Conner
Kazma Back 43 Stanley Wainance Gasser

Bernie Olive
U.S.N.



'BERNIE'
'BEAVER'



'APE'



'JOEY'



'CONNIE'



'RABBI'



'NICK'



'CAPTAIN
'STAN'



'DON'



55 Bill Levack Back 50 Martin Rabinovitz
Tackle 42 Nick Pantinas Center 36
Donald Hamang, End.

Army

29 Louis Karius Tackle 31 Merritt Low
Back 41 Louis Gendusa Guard 56 C
Carnahan Guard 51 Jack Owen Center.



'LOUIE'



'MERRITT'



'LOUIE'



'RABBIT'
'MARTY'



'JACK'

'GOLDEN GREEK'



'DIZZY'



'TANK'



29 Milton Barker Tackle 44 Eugene Miller, Back, 49 John Bizanes End, Mgr. Martin Paligraph.

Milt Barker



Basketeers Have Good Season

WILLIAM KLUG

"Get off the floor!"

This year's hardwood squad, under the second season's direction of Coach Klug, emerged from the 1943-44 basketball season with an enviable record.

Winning fifteen of twenty games in the regular season, the Norsemen tied Whiting for third place in the Conference and again for the second consecutive year took the city championship by winning eight straight games. The record thus shows fifteen straight games won in two years of regular city competition.



BASKETBALL MANAGERS:
Mike Zakutansky and Lester Weiss
talk over the season's prospects.



Bill Levack, Jack Owen, George Zayats, Bernard Olis; Back to camera: Glenn Holmes.

The Norsemen entered the Sectional Tournament with the handicap of being picked the favorite by Mr. Werry and having a tough schedule to play. In spite of this they traveled the difficult route overpowering Tolleston 54-30, shattering Valpo 63-37, squeezing past Lew Wallace 33-31, and toppling Horace Mann 47-38.

Bernie Olis and Bill Levack, by their outstanding performance throughout the sectionals were named on the Sectional Team by Mr. Werry.

In the Regional Tournament Emerson met the rugged Wildcats of Hammond and scuttled them 36-23 with Bernie Olis registering 20 points. In the night game, the LaPorte Slicers, playing one of the best games ever witnessed in regionals, overwhelmed our fighting Norsemen, 45-29.



Varsity

VARSDTY—*Standing*: Coach Klug, Bill Levack, Bernie Olis, Jack Schaff, George Zayats, Nick Miller, Hubert Lazar, Mike Zakutansky; *Kneeling*: Sam Ranzino, Tom Wilson, Tom Burns, Bob Crane, Glenn Holmes.

Squad

SQUAD—Art Angotti, Hubert Lazar, Sam Ranzino, Bernard Olis, Tom Wilson, Bill Levack, George Zayats, Jack Schaff, Nick Miller, Bob Crane, Tom Burns, Glen Holmes, Coach Klug; *Row 2*: Milton Barker, Bill Costley, Bob Elliott, Bill Oliver, Francis Gant, Merritt Lesch, Michael Coutouzis, Frank Mihal, Joe Jancarich,

Mike Zakutansky; *3rd Row*: John Welsh, Eugene Miller, George Hansen, James Finnerty, John George, Dick Colley, William Kane, Lester Weiss.

Reserves

RESERVES — *Rear*: Coach Klug, Francis Gant, Bill Oliver, Bill Costly, Bob Elliott, Frank Mihal, Eugene Miller, Joe Jancarich, Mike Coutouzis; *Front*: Merritt Lesch, George Hansen, James Finnerty, John George, George Colley, William Kane and Albert Weiss.

INCREDULOUS COACH — *Rear*: Bob Elliott, Bill Oliver, Bill Levack, Bernard Olis, Hubert Lazar, George Zayats, Jack Schaff; *Front*: Tom Burns Tom Wilson, Coach Klug, Glenn Holmes.

LaPorte — Worthy For

We		They
48	Hobart	18
31	Whiting	33
43	Lew Wallace	37
36	Tolleston	23
25	Froebel	22
30	Hammond Tech	23

SECTIONALS

54	Tolleston	30
62	Valparaiso	37
33	Lew Wallace	31
47	Horace Mann	38

REGIONALS

36	Hammond	23
29	LaPorte	45
	Outs	
	45	
	Ins.	
	39	

HOLIDAY TOURNEY

40	Frankfort	37
32	Lebanon	44
42	Horace Mann	22
46	Roosevelt E. C.	27
37	Froebel	28
40	Valparaiso	37
26	Washington E. C.	39
38	Tolleston	20
43	Roosevelt E. C.	31
36	Hammond	37
33	Horace Mann	17
41	Hammond Clark	51
47	Lew Wallace	36
51	South Bend Central	43

RESERVES

28	Hobart	17
28	Whiting	30
25	Froebel	12
16	Hammond Tech	21
17	Horace Mann	19
16	Roosevelt E. C.	23
21	Froebel	17
24	Valparaiso	14
22	Washington E. C.	23
30	Tolleston	10
22	Roosevelt	30
20	Horace Mann	17
23	Hammond Clark	34
16	Lew Wallace	29



Before the game: Jack Owen, Bill Levack;
Bernie Olis, Coach Klug, George
Zayats, Glenn Holmes.





Lettermen: Tom Wilson-
Forward, Jack Schaff-Center,
Bernie Olis-Forward, George Zayats-
Forward, Bill Levack-Guard, Glenn Holmes-
Forward, Hubert Lazar-Guard, Tom Burns-Guard.



Class Basketball

SENIORS:

Back row: Roy Bailey, John Carija, Alex Bozich, Bob Karver, Ray Knezevich; *Front row:* Martin Paligraph, Jack Dunn, Jim Gram, Robert Abraham.

FRESHMEN:

Fourth row: Mike Karras, Jerome Muras, Sam Lanzino, Jack Booher, Bob Pruess, Richard Swan, Robert Reid, Ray Flanagan, Knowle, Stubbs, James Ciciora. *Third row:* Bob Doyle, James King, Richard Bonick, Don McGuire, Mirke Vrtikapa, Bill Kutch, Joe Minnitti, Joe Urban, Paul Ortosky, Don Nickchevich. *Second row:* Jack Egan, Jack Davies, Peter Sopko, Ray Komlenich, George Raysses, Bob Steinmetz, Bob Berquist, Don Kepshire, Allan Johnson, Eddie Orgon, Ralph Settle. *First row:* Bob Yesh, Henry Wegzyn.

JUNIORS:

Back row: Mike Adams, James Dimitroff, Joe Cieply, Jim Nonus, Richard Vrtikapa, George Alexander. *Front row:* Nick Pantinas, Bob Apathy, Julian Kaplan, Charles Bewick, John Chontos.

SOPHOMORES:

Back row: John Dolatowski, Bob Petrovich, Henry Antczak, David Necco, Velmir Gurgevich, John Bizanes, Jack Palmer, Dominic Cefali, Roy Kennedy. *Front row:* Leo Settle, John Plunkett, John Frame, Albert Gasper, Joe Aydelotte, Ralph Olin, Henry Frankowski, Steve Kokos.

Cross Country Gets Boys Ready For Uncle Sam

"Take It Easy" is a good theme song for the cross country boys when they start out on the old two-mile run. This year's team was guided by Coach Werner. James Gram and Jack Dunn were co-captains.

The Gold and Gray harriers were victorious over Edison and Roosevelt of Gary, but Lane Tech of Chicago, Mann of Gary, and Roosevelt of East Chicago conquered them. At the end of the season the East Siders were fourth in Conference standings.

On the squad were Jack Dunn, James Gram, Roy Bailey, Joe Aydelotte, Earle Moore, Howard Edelson, John Frame, Ned Pieske, and Norman Robinson.



Upper left picture: Joe Aydelotte, Jack Dunn, Ned Pieske. Kneeling: Coach Werner. We are glad Coach is with us again. He says, "Big broad—no tombstones."

Lower left picture: Standings Earle Moore, Roy Bailey. Kneeling: John Frame, Norman Robinson, Howard Edelson.

Right picture: Jack Dunn.

We Win April 27th Meet ---- 81½ Points

Records for First Three Meets

First Places

APRIL 13

Wallace-Hammond Clark

High Hurdles 115; 15.6	Eugene Miller
High Hurdles 115; 17.0	Lester Mayes
Mile 5.06	Joe Aydelotte
Low Hurdles; 27.5	Eugene Miller
Total Points 57	Winner
	Four second places
	One third place

Teams Competing 3

APRIL 18

E. C. Roosevelt-Wallace

Low Hurdles 200; 24.7	Eugene Miller
Low Hurdles 100; 11	Mike Maragos
880 — 2:12:3	James Gram

220 — 25.1	Mike Maragos
880 Relay — Team (Maragos, Mayes, Celley, Miller)	
Total Points 57	Second place
	Three second places
	Three third places
	Two fourth places

Teams Competing 3

APRIL 25

East Chicago Relays

High Hurdles 16.4	Eugene Miller
Shot Put 120' 9¼"	Elliott, Schaff, Zayats
Pole Vault	Zayats tied with Schoon of Mann and Ulm of Hammond
Total Points 25	Sixth Place
Teams Competing 12	





Hurdlers: Eugene Miller, Lester Mayes.

Standing: Lester Mayes, Bill Oliver, Marty Paligraph, Dick Colley, Coach Werner, Joe Aydelotte, Bob Shesler, John Frame, Norman Robinson.

Seated: Francis Gant, Jack Palmer, James Finnerty, Merritt Lesch, John Bizanes, Bob Grand, Bob Crane, John George.



(PICTURES ON OPPOSITE PAGE—70)

Fourth row: Chester Niepokoj, Fred Bednar, Ed Carija, Joe Aydelotte, John George, James Finnerty, George McKinny, Dick Swan, Bob Preuss.

Third row: James King, Jack Burke, James Ciciora, George Zayats, Jim Molzon, Bob Reid, Mike Karras, Bill Oliver, John Carija, Dick Colley, Robert Cooper, John Plunkett, Allen Johnston, Coach Klug, Bob Crane.

Second row: Donald Nikchevich, Lester Weiss, Louis Castrinos, Francis Gant, Eugene Miller, Lester Mayes, John Donley, John Frame, Norman Robinson, Bob Swanson, Bob Doyle.

First row: Eddie Orgon, Ralph Olis, Henry Wegryzn, Mike Maragos, Louis Magrames, Donald Kephshire, Bob Bosich, Tom O'Melia, Robert Shesler, Jack Palmer, Robert Urban, Jack Egan.



Faculty

JANET HODGE
"All right, line up."

ARLINE HEIMBURG
"Sit down in the swings."

BETTY HARTNETT
"1-2-3-4, Youab tabdy."



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VOLLEYBALL	Theresa Motta
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BASEBALL	Dorothy Pointi
INDOOR SPORTS	Betty Gaynor, Emily Bizek

G. A. A. had a crowded year with overzealous rushing in the fall, several dates on the social calendar, and the problem of figuring ways and means of having the traditional spring banquet without changing any of its essential features.

Manpower shortages started the social events off with an all-girl part, Wednesday, November 24. The

boys were missed but not too much. The Gals' Gambol on January 14, a Leap Year couple dance, rang the bell. The anticipated barn dance may be a benefit dance on May 19.

At the last spring banquet, May 8, 1943, "Saludos Amigos" to our South American neighbors, was suggested in the programs, decorations, and favors. The Loving Cup was won by Blanche Predaina. Phyllis Banker and Angeline Cappony received the *Gary Post-Tribune* Plaque for class championships, the seniors in basketball and speedball; the sophomores in volley ball and swimming.

The banquet was held on June 3, at the Masonic Temple, with music by Jerry Malings.

JUNIORS TAKE 'ALL'



"Juniors"

SPEEDBALL

Gussie Settle, speedball head, deserves great credit for the management of this sport. The turnout was unusually large. There were the same bumps and bruises to treasure with Dorothy Puinti's being the worst.

Varsity team captains were, senior, Marian Person; junior, Alice Condo; sophomore, Helen Donahoe; freshman, Sadie Fairley.

The Juniors won the Speedball Championship.

BASKETBALL

As head of basketball, Angeline Cappony, showed her ability. Juniors were "as-bestest" as Seniors were "as-saddest". With the bucket-making skill of Angeline and Lillian Abraham, getting the championship was a fairly easy matter for the Juniors. One factor in the Juniors' all around-excellence this year was the quality of the competition given them by the Sophomores, definitely a group to watch.

The schedule was full, and game results were most pleasing. Froebel, Roosevelt, Wirt, and Horace Mann were our worthy opponents. Sophomores and Juniors were victors in every contest.

Catherine Sefton served as Senior varsity leader. The Juniors were led by Adeline Kuchta; the Sophomores by Marge Mulloy, and the Freshmen by Angeline Muniz.

VOLLEYBALL

Torn nets or lost nets did not keep energetic "Terry" Motta from getting the girls out for volley ball. At least more Seniors came out for this sport than for any other.

Seniors were under the direction of Betty Gaynor while the Juniors, Sophomores, and Freshmen were captained by Lillian Abraham, Wanda Nowicki, and Mary Kolettis, respectively.

SWIMMING

The infantile paralysis scare and jobs kept the swimming enrollment down this year. Delores Gile and Kathleen McGuire, co-chairmen, expect to have a fine team ready for competition. One fine thing about the season was the number of Freshmen and Sophomores who came out for this sport.



MRS. GWENDOLYN GRIFFITH
School Nurse
"Open Wide."



C.A.A. Is More Than A Banquet

FRESHMEN AND SOPHOMORES:

Back row: George, Templeton, Button, Cohran, Geancnos, Kuzma, Brauneis, Yuro, Heistand, Metaxes, Castedo, Weiss, Cramer, Corliss, Yaselky, Amabile, Beauchamp; *Third row:* Finton, Hile, Price, Lucas, Rondinelli, James, Haviland, Galka, Kish, Jaska Bushwity, Cunningham, Nelson, Halvatis, Fenton, Wolf, Angotti, Smith, Miss Hartnett; *Second row:* Nowicki, Pedorchak, Motta, Syler, Hodges, Mulloy, Montoro, Stevers, Coutouzis, Delaney, Goodwin, Coutouzis, Johnson, Reeves, Bednar, Bartley, Umpleby.

First row: Svantner, Roush, Fidler, Grakey, Fernandez, Barrick, Donahoe, Lowe, Groves, Garfine, Pannell.

JUNIORS:

Back row: Pany, Butts, Burget, Pienta, Abraham, Jannasch, Hines, Moise, Reily, Babilla, Anderson, McGuire, Steagall; *Third row:* Churchia, Dotlich, Condo, Copley, Gile, Aton, Rubis, Burton, Pinkowski, Klazura, Jones, Colleran, Miss Hartnett. *Second row:* Andasen, Angotti, Hile, Cappony, Motta, Collie, Garcia, Pawlowski, Komlenich; *First row:* Chaja, Evans, Keshire, Muniz, Shinnars, Little, McLeod.

SENIORS:

Back row: Dwyer, Pfile, Sefton, Aronson, Legg, Woodward, Hansen, Smothers, Bodnar, Kolettis, Fuller, Orgon, Pointi; *Second row:* McDaniel, Meneakis, Bizak, Dominick, Garner, Keirn, Person, Townsley, Gibbons, Hansen, Locke, Wardrip, Thrasher; *First row:* DeVine, Reynolds, Glenn, Owen, Fickes, Miller, Egan, Coleman, Settle, Gaynor, Miss Hartnett.



NEW C.A.A. MEMBERS:

Fourth row: Betty Hamilton, Peggy Sullivan, Dolores Ryan, Niki Kypres, Vernice Mayes, Sade Fairley; *Third row:* Florence Jankarich, Betty Rhetorik, Jeanette Genduso, Angeline Muniz, Mary Helen Stanko, Roberta Polen; *Second row:* Frances McGuire, Madeleine Parthun, Alice Meneakis, Jeanette Niepokoi, Edythe Goldman, Carol Miller, Esther Johnson; *First row:* Betty Caraw, Dolores Reece, Jeanne Reece, Beverley Lane, Renee Friedman, Betty Balsley.



SWIMMING:

Back: Viola Geancnos, Angeline Muniz.

Third row: Betty Hamilton, Betty Rhetorik

Second row: Kathleen McGuire,

First row: Frances McGuire, Dolores Gile.

SPEEDBALL



FROSH:

Standing on stairs: Betty Hamilton, Dolores Elia, Mary Kolettis, Josephine Genduso; *Standing:* Renee Friedman, Florence Jankarich, Niki Kypros, Betty Rhetorik, Irene Shotts, Angeline Muniz; *Sitting:* Betty Carew, Sadie Fairley, Vernice Mayes.

SOPHS:

Back on stairs: Peggy James, Marge Mulloy, Helen Hodges, Wanda Nowicki, Bernice Grakey; *Standing:* Barbara Smith, Margaret Lowe, Helen Donahoe; *Kneeling:* Josephine Fernandez, Callero Coutouzis, Bernice Nelson; *Sitting:* Elizabeth Lucas, Josephine Rondinelli, Julia Motta.

JUNIORS:

Back on Stairs: Alice Pinkowski Betty Collie, Theresa Motta, Irene Pawlowski, Kathleen McGuire, Miss Hartnett; *Standing:* Miss Reynolds; *Kneeling:* Donna Little, Dorothy Shinnars, Angeline Cappony, Alice Condo, Dolores Hile; *Sitting:* Dolores Gile, Lillian Abraham, Adeline Kuchta.

SENIORS:

Back on stairs: Pat Coleman, Gussie Settle, Phyllis Miller, Emily Bizek, Catherine Orgon, Patsy Egan, Marian Fickes; *Second row:* Marion Person, June Townsley, Helen Reynolds; *First row:* Elaine Glenn, Marilyn Lee, Catherine Sefton, Peggy Gibbons.



FROSH AND SOPHS:

Back row: Callero Coutouzis, Helen Hodges, Elizabeth Lucas, Bernice Nelson, Marge Mulley, Barbara Smith, Josephine Rondinelli; *Front row:* Jeanette Genduse, Niki Kyprees, Betty Hamilton, Betty White, Madeleine Parthun, Vernice Mayes, Frances McGuire, Betty Rhetorik.

JUNIORS AND SENIORS:

Back row: Catherine Orgon, Betty Gaynor, Catherine Sefton, Marian Fickes, Pat Egan, Elaine Glenn, Dorothy Pointi; *First row:* Kathleen McGuire, Jeanne Anderson, Lillian Abraham, Adeline Kuchta, Theresa Motta, Evelyn Biernat, Angeline Cappony.



BASKETBALL

PROM 1943



Sponsor: Mrs. Pierce and Miss Tappan.
 Norma Smith and Shirley Groves passed out bids.
 Carolyn Talbert's brother getting ready to leave. Standing behind is Rose Capua looking a little bewildered.
 Louis Cina, Dorothy Simpson, Rosemary Trivonovich, and Tim Sullivan.
 Bill Swanson, Roma Evans, and John Yaselsky.
 George Nabhan, Phyllis Banker, Doris Nikchevich and Tom Benson.

One afternoon this fall during staff meeting Don Vincent, normally a reserved person, let out a wild whoop. When he could recover, he showed us a clipping from the Gary Post-Tribune "Thirty Years Ago" column. We read, "Principal E. A. Spaulding of Emerson School has issued a denial that the "tango" is being danced in the school." Certainly the attitude toward dancing has changed with each class in the high school now having its own special dance, social dancing in physical education classes, and Wednesday night and Friday dances sponsored by the Social Committee of the Board of Control.

The '43 Prom was held at Masonic Temple on May 29 with a patriotic motif used in decorations and programs. Mrs. Pierce and Miss Tapan sponsored the affair. The grand March was led by Senior President, George Nabhan, and his partner, Phyllis Banker, with Tom Benson, junior president, and his partner, Doris Nikechevich next in line.

PROM 1944

This year we had our Prom in mid-winter, January 29 to be exact. The Juniors and Seniors decided that this was only fair to the boys, both Juniors and Seniors, who had received their calls for service.

The theme of the dance was "Stardust" carried out in the snow-covered evergreens around the hall, the blue lights to suggest the starlit night, and stars everywhere. The most beautiful star of all was the one that contained smaller stars for the boys from the classes of 1944 and 1945 in service. Harry McMullen's name was on a gold star in the very center.

Mike Zakutansky and Dorothy Punkt led the Grand March for the Seniors, and Chester Bokich and Rosemary Cummer did the honors for the Juniors.

We left space on these pages because we thought this would be one spot where memories would be evoked to inspire you to write your name and a sentiment or two.

Picture one: Bill Elwood, Patricia Coleman, Elaine Glenn, Bob Johnson.

Picture two: Jim Nonus, Joyce Christenson, Louis Magraves, Dorothy Lewandowski.

Picture three: Danny Barrick, Emily Bizek, June Blecharczyk, Albert Weiss.

Picture four: Mike Zakutansky, Dorothy Punkt.

Picture five: Joyce Crissen, Larry Miller.

Picture six: Rosemary Cummer, Chester Bokich.

Picture seven: Helen Reynolds, Bertha Olin.

Picture eight: Betty Lee Jones, Peter Sopke, George Alexander, Dolores Hile, Jack Charlebois, Pat Peterson, Margaret Collins, Sam Auld, Mike Adams, Wanda Chaja, Arthur Jascoviak, Betty Stokell, Jean Anderson, John Gurnewicz.

Handwritten signatures:
 Betty Lee Jones
 Peter Sopke
 George Alexander
 Dolores Hile
 Jack Charlebois
 Pat Peterson
 Margaret Collins
 Sam Auld
 Mike Adams
 Wanda Chaja
 Arthur Jascoviak
 Betty Stokell
 Jean Anderson
 John Gurnewicz





SHAKESPERIEN

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Heaven-Carbons,
going away together
some people know the
showing he did and thin
but S.H. always remember
the great time when he
had found the
wonderful power
you can have
with
always

As changes in amount of carbon, heat, and kind of impurities determine the kind of iron, so do CLASSES in kind and amount send the student from the blast furnace of learning with the qualities of precision, toughness, and endurance. Thus he becomes basic steel or adaptable alloy, ready for the furnace of life.



A S S E S

Our Classrooms Are The Bessemers For Quality Steel



ARTS AND CRAFTS

Left to Right: Maynard Kruger, Alice Shoup, Tommy Callaway, Constance Bavdik.



CHILD CARE

Standing: Joyce Christensen, Clara Magos, Katherine George, Adele Szelagowski, Rose Goldman; *Seated:* Betty Poulos, Esther Shabar, Lucy Shabar, Steve, child of Mrs. Lois Mayes Hansen.



HISTORY

Top picture: Angeline Cappony and Charles Fletcher pointing at map.

BIOLOGY

Ronald Brown, Alice Weiss, James Carew.

SAFETY

Alice Galka, Rose Keilman, Ann Parthun, Sara Garner
Coach Klug; *Seated:* Herman Rhoades, Bill Levack,
Norman Andrews.



NATURE STUDY

Miss Boal and students working in the flower garden.

ADVANCED COOKING

Around the table: Peggy Gibbons, Harriet Frankowski,
John Gurnewicz, Peter Sopko, Juanita Reed, Crystal
Wright.

On so many of our pages you see the teams, the bands, the choirs, the R. O. T. C., the student governing groups, and the dramatic organizations. These are all due the space given them, but we would have you know that we have much on the solid side, too.

In our language arts classes, we learn basic communication giving us skill in speaking, writing, reading, and listening. Our social science classes set forth mankind's history and reasons why mankind sometimes goes forward and sometimes backward. The vision of the present world and a new world with constantly changing fea-

tures is the contribution of our science classes. We learn the rudiments of good health in our physical education classes. Industrial arts equip us with skills, consumer knowledge, and information about fundamental business practices. Mathematics leads us to an understanding of everyday computations and an appreciation of the importance of statistics in modern life.

We students are grateful that we live in a land where the chance to prove that "Knowledge is Power" is open to all, rather than in a country where this chance belongs only to the dictators and their "yes" men.



They Lead and

SENIOR HONOR SOCIETY OFFICERS

PRESIDENT.....	Phyllis Miller
VICE-PRESIDENT.....	June Townsley
SECRETARY.....	Virginia Dwyer
TREASURER.....	Clara Menekis

On March 30, in step with the customary "Pomp and Circumstance" seventeen new members marched down the aisle during the 2:10 auditorium period while students, parents, faculty, and friends watched. Reverend Kenneth B. Seeley of the Central Christian Church gave the address, "Staking a Claim." Parents, faculty, and members visited at tea after the ceremony, in our attractive homemaking room.

Members initiated in the impressive candle light ritual were Bill Batalis, Robert Cannon, Joseph Cieply, Patricia Coleman, Robert Crane, Keith Fink, Consuelo Garcia, Mary Ann Gordon, Gloria Hansen, George Kolettis, Jerome Mersenski, Irene Palasz, Bessie Pantinas, Marianne Petrakos, Loretta Shaw, Betty Steagall, and Ruth Ann Waitt.

Miss Tappan is the new sponsor of the Faculty Council which consists of Miss Beeler, Mr. Carlberg, Mr. Flinn, Mrs. Greenwald, Miss Newton, Miss Talbot, and Mr. Warrum. Miss Talbot and Mr. Warrum served on the previous council also, which included Miss Benscoter, Mr. Connerly, Miss Grieger, Mrs. Pierce, and Miss Tinsman. Mr. Spaulding, because of his office and because of his interest, is a working member of the Council always.

Fourth Row: Leslie Glenn, Jerry Gerasimo, Jerry Goldman, Norman Yarvice, James Halvatgis, Robert Swank, Tony Bokich, Donald Oljace, Robert Freedman; *Third Row:* Robert Dawson, James Sisamis, Gordon Bryan, Richard Elson, Donald Levy, Sevasmia Vlesides, Mary Thanos, Helen Lieber, Bill Wood, Don Rotenberg, Louis Kampouris; *Second Row:* Pearl Polisky, Leonora Taylor, Mary Kampouris, Greta Isenberg, Mary Anne Reid, Miss Lortz, Emma Marmolejo, Delores DePerna, Maxine Woodhouse, Jane Auld, Betsy Ashbridge, Barbara Cato; *First Row:* Shirley Hamer, Stephanie Rashevich, Mildred Zigich, Sally Short, Joan Lincoln, Renee Friedman, Edythe Goldman, Elaine Gately.

Third row: Bob Crane, Bill Batalis, George Kolettis, Joe Cieply, Bob Cannon, Ruth Ann Waitt, Bessie Pantinas.

Middle row: Jerry Mersenski, Gloria Hansen, Irene Palasz, Phyllis Saffran, Mary Wolfington, Marianne Petrakos, Patty Coleman.

Front row: Mary Ann Gordon, Phyllis Miller, June Townsley, Virginia Dwyer, Connie Garcia.

They Serve

JUNIOR HONOR SOCIETY OFFICERS

PRESIDENT	James Halvatgis
VICE-PRESIDENT	Edythe Goldman
SECRETARY	Renee Friedman
TREASURER	Bill Platis

The first Tuesday of each month sees the Junior Honor Society ready to do business. One piece of business of which the organization is very proud is the purchase of two War Bonds.

Officers for the following year are always elected at the May meeting.

Junior Honor Society members are expected to maintain a high scholastic average. If they do not, they are dropped from membership.

Miss Lortz is chairman of sponsors. Other faculty members who assist her are Mr. Flinn, Mrs. Housekeeper, Miss Keller, and Miss Nilsson.

The dance planned for May was arranged by the officers working with committee members and Mrs. Housekeeper. For this dance, Toulia Vlisides had charge of the tickets. Programs were planned by Joan Lincoln and decorating was worked out by Renee Friedman. Other details of the dance were taken care of by Greta Isenberg.





Register 204 Miss Tinsman

Back row: Finton, Banker, Holmes, Castedo, Achor, Barrett, Dobrick, Blake, Fidler, Karras, Garanovich; *Third row:* Berezin, Gerometta, Zelenik, Shaw, DeShazo, Hile, Elia, DiRe, Bednar, Christ, Gibson; *Second row:* Maglie, Everwine, Weiss, Yaselsky, Corliss, Johnson, Reeves, Wolfe, Miller, Polen, Panelli; *First row:* Shramm, Piver, Amabile, Theodoros, Cramer, Sancho, Beauchamp, Wright.

OFFICERS:

Standing: Francis G... , Bob Yesh, Jack Schaff, Lester Mayes; *Seated:* Irene Shotts.



SPONSORS:

Standing: Coach Klug, Mr. Mowbray, Mr. Flinn, Mr. Wirt; *Row two:* Miss Tinsman, Miss Smith; *Row one:* Miss Gwinn, Miss Tappan, Miss Talbot.

206 Miss Talbot

Back row: Durr, Berger, Boone, Burke, Elia, Devaney, Doyle, Brainer, Galka; *Middle Row:* Dawson, Dennison, Ciciora, Castrinos, Miss Talbot, Gilarski, Egan, Edwards, Beattie; *First row:* Alterwitz, Fleishman, Ciesielski, Carson, Chirby, Barrick, Alley.



FRESHMEN----

Raw Materials



Colors
PURPLE AND WHITE

Motto
LIVE AND LEARN

Flower
ROSE

Chiding Freshmen about being "green" may be an ancient and well-established custom, but this year it did not apply. After the first few days of newness, this class settled down into the "groove" as if they had been in high school all their lives.

The Freshmen followed the good old American custom of having a constitution. In October and November several meetings were held with representatives and officers from each register attending. The sections, as suggested by the committee, were voted upon separately in the daily register meetings. Questions which required re-voting were these: Shall girls have equal opportunity with boys to hold office? What colors? What flower? What motto? Shall we penalize those paying dues late? The sessions were lively, but the survivors lasted to hear Lester Mayes, class president, report on the adoption of the Class Constitution at the December meeting. The boys

allowed the girls equal rights in office holding; the rose was chosen as the flower; purple and white as the colors; "Live and Learn" as the motto. The Constitution Committee members were: John Barrick, Jean Beauchamp, Richard Bonick, Edythe Goldman, Betty Hamilton, Dolores Ryan, and Knowles Stubbs.

The most significant date on the Freshman calendar was March 17, the night of the Frosh Frolic. Co-Chairmen Madeleine Parthun and Ray Flanagan headed the committee for this dance. They were assisted by Hubert Lazar, James Halvatgis, William Kane, Jack Egan, Frank Mihal, Ralph Settle, Vernice Mayes, Maxine McCall, Carol Miller, Norma Heistand, Helen Wellman, Dolores Reece, Betty Balsley, and Betty Carew. The class officers, Lester Mayes, Irene Shotts, Robert Yesh, Frances Gant, and Jack Schaff also worked hard to make this dance unforgettable. Betty Balsley and Helen Wellman arranged the entertainment during the intermission. With shamrocks all about and a sky of white and green, Jackie Kennedy sang "Did your Mother Come From Ireland?"; Danny Molchan played his Hawaiian guitar; Wanda Chaja and Stephanie Rashevich sang.

Wednesday, April 12, was another highlight. This was the Freshman Evening, revived after a lapse of four years. Mrs. Palmer was in charge. The program included "The Wonder Hat" featuring Beverly Lane, Edythe Goldman, Bob Preuss, James Fox, and Richard Mersenski. Pete Ilinkovich, Mildred Zigich, and Renee Friedman starred in "Love in a French Kitchen." Student directors were Josephine Zelenak, Joyce Banker, Betty Hamilton, and Alberta Shaw.

Garland



211 Miss Smith

Back row: Yatsko, Rhetorik, Skorich, Pudlo, Ogiego, Wegrzyn, Sullivan, Wcarstler, Ohman, White, Rashevich; *Row two:* Sikora, Nelson, Valant, Sigler, Pavlovich, Reece, Miss Smith, Ryan, Poole, Zigich, Wisely, Wojciehowski, Stryczek, Schwartzenger; *First row:* Reed, Stanko, Niepokoj, Volk, Samples, Stowall, Reece, Parthun, Shotts, Wellman, Rysz, Rutherford, Short.



310 Mrs. Greenwald

Back row: Mulesa, Kever, Jones, Muniz, Hairrell, Jones, Halaschak, Mayes, Hamilton, Jagiela, Kasprzak; *Row three:* Lepp, Jancarich, Kolettis, Kypreos, McCall, Hanson, Kolodzinski, Hensley, Hensley, Hachlica, Manista; *Row two:* Hejnowski, Metaxas, Kelchak, Johnson, Lane, Heller, Koss, Kehayia; *Front row:* Meneakis, McGuire.

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314 Miss Tappan

Back row: Fairley, Barron, Goldman, Canaday, Gallagher, Carew, Genduso; *Front row:* Ciban, Bewick, Angelos, Bentlejewski, Miss Tappan, Gately, Friedman, Baisley.

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304 Mr. Flynn

Back row: Karras, Grabczyk, James, Foster, Guthzeit, Reid, Boskovich, Kemp; *Row three:* Flanagan, Schoonover, Halvatgis, Gant, Ranzino, Maragos, Robinson, Bonick; *Row two:* Mr. Flinn, Mayes, Steen, Yesh, Muras, Roth, Goldman, Zeller, Cumner; *Row one:* George, McCosh, Brudnachowski, Weiss, McLaughlin.



103 Miss Gwinn

Back row: Preuss, Weghryn, White, Wellman, Miss Gwinn, Penny, Owen, Riley, Olejnik, Neagu; *Row two:* Wydrzycki, Ropollo, Pangiotis, Shesler, Steinmetz, Settle, Sopko, Pasuit, Simmons; *Row one:* Rospierski, Rzepka, Nickchevich, Orgon, Scheerer, Wroblewski, Selv.



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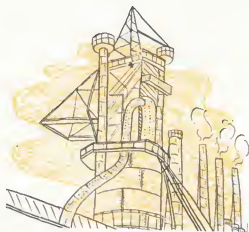
113 Mr. Oursler

Standing: Ilukovich, Hill, Mersenski, Hybarger, Mr. Oursler, Kirksey, Mihal, Kane, King; *Kneeling:* Mohr, Lewandowski, Kenecaly, Myers, McLeod, Kutch.



SOPHOMORES

Ready For Firing



Colors

BLUE AND SILVER

Motto

FORWARD EVER;
BACKWARD NEVER.

Flower

YELLOW JONQUIL

Miss Hodge was the chairman of the Sophomore Sponsors. Assisting her were Miss Ade, Miss Ban, Miss Benscoter, Sergeant Johnson, Mrs. McCarnan, Miss Newton, Mrs. Palmer, Mr. Rogers, Mr. Rowland, Mr. Warren, and Coach Werner.

A class meeting was held early in December. At this time the class heard about the success of the first major class activity, the class play, "The Ghost in the Belfry" directed by Miss Paul and produced November 19. Class dues of fifty cents per member were set. It was also voted that anyone not in good standing by April 14 would not be eligible to attend the Sophomore Hop.

On April 28, Friday, the Sophomores dressed the Girls' Lower Gym in a new spring dress

for the Hop. The dance theme, was that old favorite "I'll Remember April." To signify Lady April's fickleness, the sophomore decorators hung umbrellas at each end of the gym. Pastel colors were used in the umbrellas and in the other decorations. Barbara Smith headed the committee doing all this hard work. Her able helpers were George McKinney, Dick Colley, Agnes McConnell, Dolores Barrick, and Mike Coutouzis. The light blue programs were made by Sue Umpleby, Bill Oliver, Glen Guenther, Josephine Fernandez, and Shirley Groves.

As we go to press John Bizanes is paging Mr. Falstaff to have poems ready for Barbara Smith, Miss Hodge, and the Sophomore Class. Tom Wilson was in charge of general arrangements.

Dear Barbara,

Best wishes to
you always! It has
been fun to teach
you.

Always your
friend

SPONSORS
Standing: Mr. Rogers, Mr. Rowland, Mrs.
Palmer, Mrs. McCarnan, Miss Ban,
Miss Benscoter, Miss Ade.

Grace Benscoter

P.S. You're a
star!



212 Mrs. Palmer

Back row: Palmer, Sullivan, Warren,
Stropke, Ronchi, Miller, Mrs. Palmer;
Middle row: Rottenberg, Zemel, Young,
Thrasher, Swanson Wallace; Front row:
Magrames, Titus, Robinson, Oljace, Shu-
bert.



OFFICERS:

Left to Right: Merritt Lesch, Helen Don-
ahoe, Bilil CoCstley, Bernice Grakey, Eug-
ene Miller.



207 Miss Newton

Standing: Smith, Mulloy, Wilson, Settle, Miss Newton, Vas, Niepokey. *Fourth row:* Malicki, McLaren, Smith, Necco, Mann, Parker, Moore, Landis. *Third row:* Tenta, Plunkett, Surewicz, Lewandowski, Rayses, Ryan, Stevens, Vargo. *Second row:* Vidol, Watkins, Olis, Stanton, Razumich, Popoff, Rankin, O'Melia. *First row:* Rack-off.



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109 Miss Ade

Back row: Bushwity, Fedorchak, Cunningham, Kelly, Donahoe, James, Miss Ade, Galka, Cartner, Button, Geanchos, Hodges. *Row three:* Collins, Jaska, Hicks, Kish, Barrick, Grakey, Brauneis, Bittner, Colechi, Fidler. *Row two:* Fernandez, Angelos, Bartley, Delaney, George, Coutouris, Groves. *Row one:* Cochran, Felts, Brown, Guthrie.



312 Miss Benscoter

Back row: Karras, Crane, Koenig, Filipowicz, Miss Benscoter, Carver, Hall, Guenther, Coutouris. *Row two:* Antczak, Doneff, Cohen, Elwood, Janney, Benjamin, Bednar. *Row one:* Carija, Alger, Kokos, Barrick, Combs.



217 Miss Ban

Standing: Johnson, Cowen, Miss Ban, Castrines, Bizanes, Aydelotte, Colley, Cieślak. *Third row:* Bilski, Cox, Kutch, Krause, Dolatoswski, Ciesielski, Forrest, Cooper Brunty. *Second row:* Boudreau, Brown, Despanion, Frame, Hansen, Conroy, Gasper, Cefali. *First row:* Irwin, Jennings, Kennedy, Gurgevich, Holt, Carnahan, Innerty, Gurnewicz.

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401 Mr. Rowland

Back row: Price, Halvatgis, Fenton, Mr. Rowland, Fischer, Fleming, Sperl, Wagner. *Third row:* Smith, Miller, Long, Serrate. *Second row:* Bockskay, Garfine, Haviland, Coutouzis, Smith, Umpleby, Motte. *First row:* Randle, McConnell, Svendsen, Syler, Eckstrom.



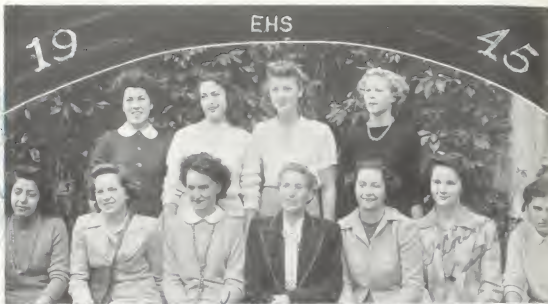
316 Mrs. McGarnan

Back row: Leach, Toth, Sayre, Rardin, Sheets, Ward Templeton. *Second row:* Loulos, Stawicki, Shabaz, Nelson, Zancanara, Lowe. *First row:* Wisely, Metaxes, Yure, Lewandowski, Rondinelli, Montore, Mulley, Nowicki, Roush.



101 Miss Rowe

Back row: Wardrip, Thrasher, Heller, Hansen; *Front row:* Villanueva, Hummer, Locke, Miss Rowe, Pinkowski, Caulk, Biernat.



305 Miss Grieger

Back row: Bokich, Niemyski, Carija, Janney, Zayats, *Second row:* Blatz, Cooper, Dillon, Miss Grieger, Lierman, Pantinas; *First row:* Mersenski, Cieply, Thompson, Kokos, Kaplar, Miller.



507 Miss Sayers

Back row: Dotlich, Andasen, Freant, Cummer, Aton, Anderson, Babilla, Collieran, Brickley; *Third row:* Condo, Davis, Emersly, Dolato, Fisch, Bucko, Bowen, Fearst, Abraham, *Second row:* Bartczak, Collie, Burton, Miss Sayers, Ferguson, Blakerzyk, Bando; *First row:* Gaines, Evans, Chaja, Garcia, Copley, Angotti.



JUNIORS ---- Manganese

Colors

GREEN AND WHITE

Motto

WE ENTER TO LEARN;
WE LEAVE TO SERVE.

Flower

WHITE CHRYSANTHEMUM



Since Americans were buying bonds for Miss Columbia rather than roses for anyone else, there was no Rose Day. For many years this activity had furnished finances for the Prom. No Junior could think of a Prom-less year. As a consequence, Juniors sold bids to this dance, which was something new in Prom history.

After smashing that tradition, they next proceeded to have the Prom on January 29, the first year for a mid-winter prom. This June-in-January Prom was a great dance, and those who came will remember "Stardust" in a special way for many years. Co-Chairmen Adeline Kuchta and Bob Kaplar were aided by Dan Barrick, Julian Kaplan, Jerome Mersenski, Melvin Tippy, Elaine Rubis, Carolyn Locke, Esqueline Burton, and Jean Kuck.

The class rings, ordered December 8, were chosen by Betty Fabilla, Rudy Romischer, Bill Elwood, Keith Fink, Wanda Chaja, Bob Crane.

Leland Penrod, Ned Miller, and Helen Brickley, who was chairman.

Independence of spirit was again shown by the Juniors when they changed their motto from "Green but growing" to "We enter to learn; we leave to serve." Alice Pinkowski, chairman, Rosemary Komenlich, Irene Pawlowski, Howard Edelson, Gordon Janney, and Evelyn Biernat decided on the change.

The Constitution Committee, headed by Enid Moise, included June Blakerzyk, Richard Oljace, and Alfred Cohen.

The Juniors also promoted the Spring Dance, an informal party held April 21. The Committee that planned this was headed by Alice Condo; other members were Janice Brink, Betty Aton, Delores Hile, Patricia Fisch, Betty Ferguson, Bob Apathy, John Chontos, Dick Hall, and Gene Riegler.



JUNIORS ---Manganese



SPONSORS:

Miss Rowe, Miss Paul, Mr. Carlberg, Miss Grieger, Miss Sayers.
Front: Mrs. Mistrovich, Miss Harrison, Miss Beeler.



OFFICERS:

Chester Bokick, president; Betty Collie, girls' treasurer; Anna Belle Reily, secretary; John Charlebois, boys' treasurer; Mike Goros, vice-president.

According to Emerson tradition the Junior Class furnished flowers and ushers for Commencement and Baccalaureate. The chairmen were Audrey Sides and Ruth Ann Waitt. Their helpers were Betty Ferguson, Glenn Holmes, Raymond Gondell, Tommy Thompson, Carolyn Locke, and Theresa Motta.

Payment of dues was speeded by the Dues Committee which was made up of a representative from each register. Treasurers, Betty Collie and Jack Charlebois, collected from: 208, Charles Bewick; 307, Roma Evans; 133, Richard Vrtikapa; 101, Regina Haj; 124 Thomas O'Melia; 326, Marge Muniz.

In February the Junior Girls proved themselves to be the real champs by winning the title of City and Class Champions in basketball.

"What a Life" by Clifford Goldsmith, the play that gave Henry Aldrich to the American public, was the Juniors' choice for class play. It was given May 26 with the S. R. O. sign out. Mrs. Palmer directed the play with these student directors assisting, Theresa Motta, Dolores Hile, and Elaine Rubis. Other Juniors on the play committee were Connie Garcia, chairman, Betty Steagall, Lillian Klazura, Edwin Brown, Betty Lee Jones, Lois Jannasch, Charles Fletcher, Herman Rhoades, Ed Kieft, and Warren Johnson.

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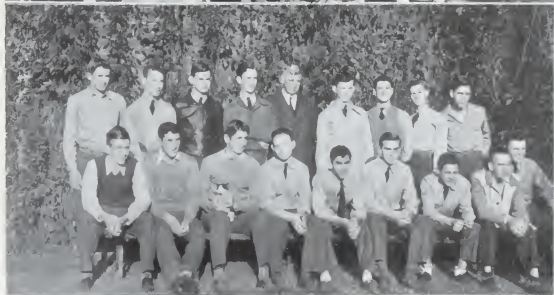
123 Miss Beeler

Back Row: Oljace, Romischer, McKee, Kaplan, Rhoades, Toth, Skorich, Riegler; Front Row: Sopko, Sargis, Kouloutpanis, Uselton, Keiff, Smatana, Miller, Weiss.



326 Miss Paul

Back Row: Irzyk, Fantinas, Waite, Hines, Jannasch, Irzyk, Sides, Little, Lutkus, Hile; Third Row: Rodgerson, Pawlowski, Reily, Rubis, Kellstrom, McGuire, Shinnis, Kolakowski, Pfiel, Kepshire, Miss Paul, Second Row: Skorich, Pany, Moose, Petrakis, Myers, Jones, Wotherspoon, Leady, Miecznikowski, Selby; Front Row: Kuchta, Motta.



208 Mr. Carlberg

Back Row: Chontos, Fletcher, Gallagher, Auld, Mr. Carlberg, Charlebois, Edelson, Adams, Coffman; Front Row: Batalis, Coros, Apathy, Andrews, Alexander, Jascoviak, Gagliardi, Galka, Griffith.

Sponsors

Mrs. Peirce
Chairman
Mr. Bobele
Mr. Garriott
Miss Hartnett
Mrs. Reyher
Mr. Warrum
Mrs. Hayes



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Seniors, 151, answered the September 1943 roll call, with fifty of the second semester Juniors expecting to join them by June. However, the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, and the Air Corps put their calls through and there were many vacant seats on Class Day. In directing class activities, Mike Zakutansky, president, was aided by John Toth, Peggy Gibbons, Harold Maxwell, and Martin Paligraph. Mrs. Gladys Pierce, chairman, had these assistant sponsors: Mr. Bobele, Mr. Garriott, Miss Hartnett, Mrs. Hayes, Mrs. Reyher, Mrs. Stoner and Mr. Warrum.

March first saw a rush to the conservatory to order announcements and calling cards.

Martin Paligraph, chairman, had the help of Patsy Egan, Jack Dunn, Eddie Thompson, Marian Fickes, and Phyllis Miller.

Again the Senior Class dropped the Farewell from its calendar. Prom bids were out January 12 for the Junior-Senior Prom on January 29. A June in January Prom was arranged because of the boys leaving for service. Our justly-famous Peggy Gibbons, as chairman for the Seniors, worked well with the Juniors to make the occasion memorable. Pat Coleman, Jim Gram, Doris McDaniel, Bob Johnson, Dorothy Puinti, Earle Moore, Larry Miller, Conrad Kuzma, and Patsy Egan represented the Seniors.

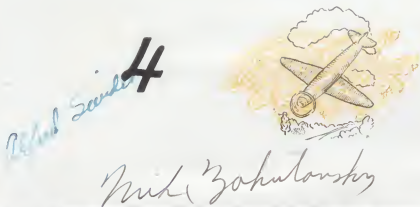
Steel Metal of Destiny

A hushed and reverent auditorium on Class Day saw the Seniors present as their class gift an Honor Roll of Service, an imposing tribute to all Emersonians. Seniors on this committee were Stanley Wellence, John Gurnewicz, Catherine Sefton, and Marian Fickes; faculty: Mrs. Pierce, Mrs. Reyher, Mr. Warrum, Mr. Harrison, and Mr. Rowland. This traditional Class Day ceremony was planned by Co-Chairmen Phyllis Miller and Mary Wolfington, aided by Sara Garner, Pat Coleman, Elaine Glenn, Jane Ann Legg, Marcella Lavikus, Gloria Hansen, Martin Rabinovitz, Paul Stanko, Robert Cannon, and Bob Karver. Chester Bokich, Junior class president, received the scepter.

At the 1943 Class Day Frank Romans and Mildred Zivonovich were named for the Ralph E. Brasaemle award. At the same time Ruth Heath was honored with the Bausch-Lomb

award. Elsewhere in this book we are leaving blanks to have the recipients of these honors in 1944 filled in.

Dolores Anderson, Bob Ferguson, and Agnes Karaffa were the committee for Baccalaureate held on June 18. The next day, June 19, was Commencement with Don Felts, Clara Meneakis, Alex Bozich, Anna Kaslik, and Richard Thomas in charge. Through the able exposition of Phyllis Miller, salutatorian, and Phyllis Saffron, valedictorian, Seniors realized that the "self-evident truths" of the Declaration of Independence had been true yesterday, were true today, and would be just as true tomorrow. Checking back the tears, we left our high school days to the strains of "Emerson Loyalty" secure in two priceless heritages—being Americans and being young.



Officers

- Martin Paligraph
Secretary
- Mike Zakutansky
President
- Peggy Gibbons
Girls' Treasurer
- Harold Maxwell
Vice-President
- John Toth
Boys' Treasurer

Raw Materials . . . Limestone . . . Coal

ALBERT ABRAHAM
ROBERT ABRAHAM
SHIRLEY ALTERWITZ
DOLORES ANDERSON



NORMAN ANDREWS
NORMA ARONSON
MARIAN BABILLA
ROY BAILEY



MILTON BARKER
FAY BEHR
LILLIAN BEHR
EMILY BIZEK



MARGARET BODNAR
RAY BOWRON
ALEXANDER BOZICH
HELEN BRICKLEY



LOUIS BRUCE
ANNA MAE BUCKO
TOM BURNS
MARY CALHOUN





ALBERT ABRAHAM . . . "My Silent Mood"—Basketball;
Football; Baseball

ROBERT ABRAHAM . . . "Take It Easy"—Baseball; Basket-
ball; Football

SHIRLEY ALTERWITZ . . . "That Soldier Boy of Mine"—
Dramatic Class; Class Plays; Girls' Glee Club

DOLORES ANDERSON . . . "You're a Sweet Little Someone"
—Co-Chairman of Baccalaureate Committee; F.A.B.; G.A.A.

NORMAN ANDREWS . . . "This Is the Life"

NORMA ARONSON . . . "Whispering"

MARIAN BABILLA . . . "Dark Eyes"—Concert Orchestra;
Girl's Band; G.A.A.

ROY BAILEY . . . "In My Merry Oldsmobile"—Cross Coun-
try; Track; Class Basketball

MILTON BARKER . . . "Me and My Shadow"—Football;
Basketball Manager; Secretary of Junior Class

FAY BEHR . . . "My Little Cousin"—Senior Play

LILLIAN BEHR . . . "The Sunshine of Your Smile"—G.A.A.;
Senior Play

EMILY BIZEK . . . "Brown Eyes, Why Are You Blue?"—
G.A.A. Board; Senior Benefit Dance Committee; Class Ring
Committee

MARGARET BODNAR . . . "Footloose and Fancy Free"

RAY BOWRON . . . "Easy Street"

ALEXANDER BOZICH . . . "Where Do We Go from Here?"

HELEN BRICKLEY . . . "Third Finger, Left Hand"—Booster
Committee; Girls' Glee Club; A Cappella Choir

LOUIS BRUCE . . . "Oh, How I Hate to Get Up in the
Morning!"

ANNA MAE BUCKO . . . "My Alice Blue Gown"

TOM BURNS . . . "On the Loose"

MARY CALHOUN . . . "Happy Go Lucky"—G.A.A.





DOMINIC CANDIANO . . . *"The Music Goes Round and Round"*

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DON DAMMARELL . . . *"Small Fry"*

ROBERT CANNON . . . *"I Think When I Read"*

IRENE DAVIS . . . *"Irene"*—Concert Orchestra

JOHN CARIJA . . . *"You'd Be Surprised!"*—R.O.T.C.; Football; Track

DELIGHT DE VINE . . . *"Delightful, Delotely"*—Tri Sigma; Junior Play; G.A.A.

JOYCE CHRISTENSEN . . . *"Stay As Sweet As You Are"*

GLORIA DOLATO . . . *"There's Something About a Soldier"*

DAN CIARFAGLIA . . . *"Don't Get Around Much Anymore"*

REGINA DOMBROWSKI . . . *"When You're Smiling"*

JOSEPH CIEPLY . . . *"What Do You Know, Joe?"*

JOSEPHINE DOMINICK . . . *"Just a Kid Named Joe"*

MARY LOU CLUSTER . . . *"Mary Lou"*—G.A.A.; Spice and Variety; Dramatic Class

JOAN DOWLING . . . *"Friendship"*

PATRICIA COLEMAN . . . *"Thanks for the Memory"*—Vice-President of A Cappella Choir; Social Chairman of G.A.A.; Senior Honor Society

JACK DUNN . . . *"I Haven't a Care in the World"*—Track; Cross Country; Class Basketball

KATHERINE COVERIS . . . *"K-K-K-Katy"*

HALL CUTTER . . . *"I Don't Care"*

LOIS DUNSWORTH . . . *"Smiles"*



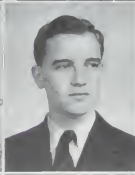
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JOE DONAHUE
JOAN DOWLING
JACK DUNN
LOIS DUNSORTH

Flaming Furnaces . . . Reducing . . . Pouring

Virginia Dwyer

VIRGINIA DWYER

PATRICIA EGAN

WILLIAM ELWOOD

DOLORES EMERSHY



ANGELA ESCUDERO

DONALD FELTS

ROBERT FERGUSON

MARIAN FICKES



HARRIET FRANKOWSKI

BERYL FULLER

SARA GARNER

ALBINA GAYER



BETTY GAYNOR

LOUIS GENDUSO

ZOE GEORGE

DOROTHY GIBBONS



ELAINE GLENN

ROSE GOLDMAN

MARY ANN GORDON

JAMES GRAM



Harriet A. Taylor

Ray Egan

Cammy

Robert

Mary Ann Gordon



VIRGINIA DWYER . . . *"Artist's Life"*—Art Editor of 1944 Yearbook Staff; Co-Chairman of Bond Sales; Junior Representative on Board of Control

PATRICIA EGAN . . . *"When Irish Eyes Are Smiling"*—Junior-Senior Prom Committees; F.A.B.; G.A.A.

WILLIAM ELWOOD . . . *"A Man and His Dreams"*—R.O.T.C.

DOLORIS FMERSHY . . . *"PaperDolly"*

ANGELA ESCUDERO . . . *"A Little Jive Is Good for You"*—Cheerleader; President of Girl's Band; Booster Committee

DONALD FELTS . . . *"The Little Man Who Wasn't There"*—Boy's Band; A Cappella Choir

ROBERT FERGUSON . . . *"No Lost, No Notbin'"*—R.O.T.C.

MARIAN FICKES . . . *"The Girl He Left Behind"*—Treasurer of G.A.A.; Board of Control; Girl's Conference

HARRIET FRANKOWSKI . . . *"Little Girl"*—G.A.A.

BERYL FULLER . . . *"Easy Come, Easy Go"*—G.A.A.; Girl's Band

SARA GARNER . . . *"She's Just A Sailor's Sweetheart"*—President of Concert Orchestra; Publicity Chairman of Bond Sales; 1944 Yearbook Staff

ALBINA GAYER . . . *"Till We Meet Again"*

BETTY GAYNOR . . . *"Green Eyes"*—Secretary of Concert Orchestra; G.A.A. Board; Secretary of Girl's Conference

LOUIS GENDUSO . . . *"You're in the Army Now"*

ZOE GEORGE . . . *"I Threw a Kiss to the Ocean"*

DOROTHY GIBBONS . . . *"Little Miss Irish"*—Social Committee Chairman; Girl's Treasurer of Senior Class; Vice-President of G.A.A.

ELAINE GLENN . . . *"Star-Eyes"*—Band; A Cappella Choir; G.A.A.

ROSE GOLDMAN . . . *"Now I Know"*—Business Manager of 1944 Yearbook Staff; Everyman; Christmas Pageant

MARY ANN GORDON . . . *"You Think of Everything"*—Concert Orchestra; Band; Scholarship Committee

JAMES GRAM . . . *"Dance With Dolly"*—Triac Cross Country; Class Basketball





KATHLEEN GRAM . . . "Did Your Mother Come From Ireland?"

JOHN GURNEWICZ . . . "Ob, Jobyny!"—1944 Yearbook Staff; Art Club; Class Memorial Committee

OLLIE HABHAB . . . "Is I Gotta Go to School, Ma?"

DONALD HAMANG . . . "I Don't Get It"

DONALD HAMILTON . . . "Taking a Chance on Love"—Class Basketball; Trunk Manager

THOMAS HAMPTON . . . "Indiana"—Cheerleader; Boys' Band; Booster Committee

GLORIA HANSEN . . . "Because It's Love"—Senior Honor Society; G.A.A.; A Capella Choir

PATRICIA HANSEN . . . "Keep on Smiling"—Concert Orchestra; G.A.A.; Roselette

RICHARD HILE . . . "If You Please"

ROBERT HODGES . . . "Mr, Myself and I"—R.O.T.C.

Bob Hodges

GLENN HOLMES . . . "For He's a Jolly Good Fellow!"

GORDON JANNEY . . . "Happy Mood"

ROBERT JOHNSON . . . "Music, Maestro, Please"—President of Boys' Band; Co-Editor of 1944 Yearbook Staff; Tennis Team

Bob Johnson

AGNES KARAFFA . . . "Sweet and Simple"—F.A.B.; Roselette; G.A.A.

ROBERT KARVER . . . "This Love of Mine"—Senior Play; Class Basketball; Hi-Y

ANNA KASLIK . . . "I've Got Love"

HEDY KAZMIRSKI . . . "So Help Me"

ROSE MARGARET KEILMAN . . . "He's My Guy"

MARGARET KEIRN . . . "I've Got a Secret Weapon"—Booster Committee; Tri Sigma; Band

Lillian Klazura

LILLIAN KLAZURA . . . "I'm"—A Cappella Choir; Girls' Glee Club; Senior Play



Firing . . . Firing . . . Refiring



KATHLEEN GRAM
JOHN GURNEWICZ
OLLIE HABHAB
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LILLIAN KLAZURA

Thundering Mills . . Best Ingredients . . Fine Quality

RAY KNEZEVICH

BESSIE KOLETTIS

GEORGE KOLETTIS

JOHN KORDYS



JOHN KRAJACK

CONRAD KUZMA

MARCELLA LAVIKUS

MARILYN LEE



WINIFRED LEE

JANE ANN LEGG

ANGELINE

LEWANDOWSKI

BILL LIERMAN



CAROLYN LOCKE

GERALDINE LUTKUS

WILLIAM MACLEOD

HEDY MANISTA



CLARA MARAGOS

HAROLD MAXWELL

DORIS McDANIEL

CLARA MENEAKIS





RAY KNEZEVICH . . . "Sunny Boy"

ANGELINE LEWANDOWSKI . . . "Angeline"

BESSIE KOLETTIS . . . "Every Dreamer Has Her Day"—
G.A.A.; A Cappella Choir; Girls' Glee Club

BILL LIERMAN . . . "I Gotta See a Girl About Love"

GEORGE KOLETTIS . . . "My Sister and I"—Senior Honor
Society; Orchestra; A Cappella Choir

CAROLYN LOCKE . . . "I'm Saving Myself for Bill"—
G.A.A.; Girls' Band

JOHN KORDYS . . . "He's My Uncle"

GERALDINE LUTKUS . . . "Our School Days Are Passed"

JOHN KRAJACK . . . "When Johnny Comes Marching
Home"

WILLIAM MACLEOD . . . "Little Willie"

CONRAD KUZMA . . . "Sometimes"

HEDY MANISTA . . . "Dolores"

Marcella Lavikus
MARCELLA LAVIKUS . . . "On the Sentimental Side"

CLARA MARAGOS . . . "Happy"

MARILYN LEE . . . "In the Mood"

HAROLD MAXWELL . . . "Here Comes the Natty"—Senior
Class Officer; Football

WINIFRED LEE . . . "As Time Goes By"—G.A.A.; Sopho-
more Play Committee

DORIS McDANIEL . . . "Girl of My Dreams"—Sophomore
Play; Prom Committee; G.A.A.

JANE ANN LFGG . . . "Honest to Goodness"—A Cappella
Choir; E.A.B.; Head Haporette of Concert Band

CLARA MENEAKIS . . . "Heaven Will Protect the Working
Girl"—Senior Honor Society; G.A.A.; Sophomore Play





HARRIETTE MERICLE . . . "As I Strum on My Big Bass Viol"

JERRY MERSENSKI . . . "The Little Colonel"—R.O.T.C.; Social Committee

LARRY MILLER . . . "Can't Make Up My Mind"—R.O.T.C.; 1944 Yearbook Staff; Dramatics

PHYLLIS MILLER . . . "School Days"—President of Senior Honor Society; G.A.A. Board; Board of Control

ANNA MOMCILOVICH . . . "The Dreamer"

EARLE MOORE . . . "For Me and My Gal"—Senior Play

GILBERT MUELLER . . . "I Love Life"—R.O.T.C.

CONCENTINA MUFFOLETTO . . . "This Is A Wonderful World"—G.A.A.; Sophomore Play

JANE NAMYS . . . "Curly Top"

BETTY NELSON . . . "My Dream"—Tri Sigma; G.A.A. Board; Sophomore Play

PHYLLIS NEUBAUM . . . "Angels of Mercy"

JEANETTE NOVICK . . . "I'll Be Around"

JOSEPH NOWICKI . . . "Graduation Song"

VIRGINIA NUTHALL . . . "Home, Sweet Home"

WANDA OHMANN . . . "Welcome Wanda"

THOMAS O'MELIA . . . "Now or Never"

CATHERINE ORGON . . . "You Can Depend on Me"—President of G.A.A.; President of Girls' Conference; Chairman of Senior Play and Homecoming Committee

JACK OWEN . . . "This Is the Army"

SHIRLEY OWEN . . . "I Don't Want to Walk Without You"—A Cappella Choir; Boys' Band; G.A.A.

BERNARD PADGETT . . . "Smoke Gets in Your Eyes"—Panel Discussion Chairman



Steel Framework of Tomorrow's World

H. Miller

A. Ain Cropp



HARRIETTE MERICLE
JERRY MERSENSKI
LARRY MILLER
PHYLLIS MILLER



ANNA MOMCLOVICH
EARLE MOORE
GILBERT MUELLER
CONCENTINA MUFFOLETTO



JANE NAMYS
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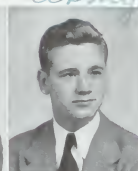
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IRENE PALASZ

MARTIN PALIGRAPH

JACK PARRY

ANN PARTHUN



MARION PERSON

DOROTHY PFIL

DOLORES PIASECKI

MARY PIERCE



DOROTHY PUINTI

MARTIN RABINOVITZ

DORIS REAVES

HELEN REYNOLDS



BARBARA RONDINELLI

GEORGE ROTHMAN

ELEANOR RYSZ

PHYLLIS SAFFRON



MARY SARGIS

CATHERINE SEFTON

AUGUSTA SETTLE

LUCY SHABAZ





IRENE PALASZ . . . "Constantly"—Senior Honor Society; 1944 Yearbook Staff; Junior Honor Society.

MARTIN PALIGRAPH . . . "Little Man You've Had a Busy Day."

JACK PARRY . . . "A Laugh-Provoker"

ANN PARTHUN . . . "I Wonder When My Baby's Coming Home?"—Tri-Sigma; Officer of Girls' Band; G.A.A.

MARION PERSON . . . "Memories"—Junior and Senior Plays; G.A.A.

DOROTHY PFILF . . . "Time on My Hands"

DOLORES PIASECKI . . . "Speak Low"

MARY PIERCE . . . "So-Long, Mary"—Vice president of Concert Orchestra; A Cappella Choir.

DOROTHY PUINTI . . . "He Wears a Pair of Silver Wings"—Co-Editor of 1944 Yearbook Staff; Head Cheerleader; G.A.A. Board.

MARTIN RABINOVITZ . . . "Why Don't You Fall in Love With Me?"—Football; Debating; Class Basketball.

DORIS REAVES . . . "Here Goes"

HELEN REYNOLDS . . . "There's Only One Man in the World for Me"—Senior Play.

BARBARA RONDINELLI . . . "Brown Eyes"—G.A.A.; Sophomore Play.

GEORGE ROTHMAN . . . "Whistle While You Work"

ELEANOR RYSZ . . . "Any Bonds Today?"—Bond and Stamp Sales.

PHYLLIS SAFFRAN . . . "I've Got a Pocket Full of Dreams"—A Cappella Choir; Girls' Glee Club; Senior Honor Society.

MARY SARGIS . . . "Mary"

CATHERINE SEFTON . . . "Slender, Tender, and Tall"—Secretary of Board of Control; Booster Committee Chairman; Secretary of G.A.A.

AUGUSTA SETTLE . . . "White Gardenias"—G.A.A. Board; F.A.B.

LYUC SHABAZ . . . "Smilin' Through"





LORETTA SHAW . . . "What is There to Say?"

AUDREY TALLYN . . . "She Don't Wanna"

JOSEPH SIKORA . . . "G. I. Jive"

VIOLET TRARAILO . . . "Time Alone Can Tell"

JOE SKORICH . . . "A Merry Life"

EDWARD THOMPSON . . . "Anchors Aweigh"

HARRY SMITH . . . "Little Mischief Maker"

THOMAS THOMPSON . . . "I've Got My Idea of a Wonderful Time"

FRANCES SMOTHERS . . . "I Don't Have Time to Be Lonesome"—G.A.A.; A Cappella Choir.

DONNA THRASHER . . . "Pretty as a Picture"

PAUL STANKO . . . "After the Ball Is Over"

MELVIN TIPPY . . . "Ab, Tü a Dream"

HONORA SULLIVAN . . . "Chew, Chew Your Bubble Gum"

PAULINE TITAK . . . "Moonlight Mood"

ADELE SZELAGOWSKI . . . "Ten Little Soldiers"

JOHN TOTH . . . "Where Do You Work, John?"

MARGIE SUROWIEC . . . "Matigle"

JUNE TOWNSLEY . . . "Capt'd! After Me"—Vice-president of Senior Honor Society; G.A.A.; A Cappella

TED SZOSTEK . . . "Ain't Mis-beavin'"

BEATRICE TRIMBLE . . . "Oh, You Beautiful Doll!"



Steel Imagineering For Peace

I outta show army Joe Skorich



LORETTA SHAW
JOSEPH SIKORA
JOE SKORICH
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STANLEY WELLECE
DON WISELY
MARY WOLFINGTON



JO ANN WOODWARD
GENEVIEVE ZAJAC
MIKE ZAKUTANSKY
ELSIE ZINANNI



EDWARD ZYCHNOWICZ



JOSEPH URBAN . . . "It's Eight O'clock"
DONALD VINCENT . . . "Calling Romance"
OLYMPIA VLAD . . . "Always Last"
LOIS WARDRIP . . . "Back Home Again in Indiana"
JANE WAY . . . "My Hero"
STANLEY WELLECE . . . "Jeanie With the Light Brown Hair"
DON WISELY . . . "Where, Oh, Where?"

MARY WOLFINGTON . . . "A Girl to Be Proud Of"
JO ANN WOODWARD . . . "So Far, So Good"
GENEVIEVE ZAJACK . . . "Sweet Genevieve"
MIKE ZAKUTANSKY . . . "You're a Lucky Guy"
President of Senior Class; Basketball Manager; 1944 Yearbook Staff.
ELSIE ZINANNI . . . "Waiting to Grow"
EDWARD ZYCHNOWICZ . . . "So Long"

In Memoriam

MURIEL BOYER

September 15, 1924 - November 6, 1941

HARRY McMULLEN

May 1, 1924 - November 29, 1942

CLASS OF 1944 IN SERVICE

ALBERT ABRAHAM - army
JOE ADAMS
HAROLD ALTERWITZ - navy
NORMAN ASHLEY
EDWARD BENJAMIN
NORRIS BRICKLEY - navy
LOUIS BRUCE - army
JOHN BUCKO
DANNY CANDIANO - army
BILL CARRELL
JAMES CHAPAS
TONY CICALDI - navy
JAMES COROS
JOE DONAHUE - army

JACK DUNN - army
RONALD FIDLER
PAUL FOLEY
LOUIS GENDUSO
ERNEST GILE
WILLIAM HALL - army
DON HAMANG
NICK HERBACK
GERALD IRWIN
STANLEY IRWIN
ROBERT KARVER - army
HAROLD KEITH - army
CONRAD KUZMA - army
HAROLD MAXWELL - navy

KEITH MAYHEW
LARRY MILLER - army
FORD McAVOY
VERNE McCATHERN
WAYNE McKINNEY
JAMES NOLAN
BERNARD OLIS - navy
JACK OWEN - army
RUSSELL PENDLETON
GEORGE PUSKUS
PAUL RAKAS
ANDY REHTORIK
ETHMER RHOADES
LEONARD ROTHMAN

RAY SCHAEFER - army
JOE SIKORA - army
BILL SNELLING
GEORGE SOPKO - G. Basaloga
CHARLES STRONG
BILL SWANSON - navy
ED THOMPSON
BERNARD WEINER - army
MARVIN WEINER - army
TOM WOTHERSPOON - Marine
ELI YAKSICH - navy
JOHN YASELSKY

The Ralph E. Brasaelme Memorial Plaque

This award was established by the 1942 class in honor of Ralph E. Brasaelme, beloved coach, who died March 26, 1940.

Members of the Physical Education department choose not more than three boys and three girls whom they consider outstanding seniors. Choice is made upon the achievement of the student in scholarship, leadership, and service to Emerson. Next the Senior sponsors consider this list, having the authority to remove names, provided an objection is proved. Then Seniors vote for one boy and one girl. The names of the winners are inscribed on the plaque, conspicuously displayed on the second floor corridor. John Shepherd won the award in 1942. Frank Roman and Mildred Zivanovich tied in 1943. 1944 winner Jack Owen

The Bausch-Lomb Plaque

Ruth Heath won this distinction last year for three years of outstanding scholarship in science. Miss Tinsman, chairman, Mr. Warrum, and Mr. Flinn made the selection. The Bausch-Lomb is made on Commencement Day, while the Ralph E. Brasaelme Award is made on Class Day.

1944 winner Mary Halflington

Senior Statistics in Their Basic English

Through the years the campus characters remain almost the same, but their names change with the jargon of the times. Back a few years for instance, you would refer to a "coosome twosome" as "steadies", king size or queen size in brains as "book-worms", or a "bone box beater" as a "chatterbox". The "all-around good fellow" would today be called "strictly solid", and a "cutie" has now become a "pin-up". The whistlers on the corner are no longer "flirts" but "wolves", and the "beauts" they pursue are "Able Grables". The popular coed is a "date-bait", and the tall, dark, and handsome he-men that date her are "Able-Gables". The wearer of a Pepsodent smile has been tagged "The best maker with pearly teeth." The rest of the campus characters have kept their old familiar labels. We state below the most typical campus characters as chosen from the class of 1944.

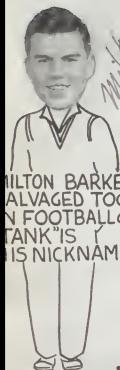
PIN UP BOY AND GIRL	Earle Moore Beatrice Trimble
DATE BAIT	Peggy Keirn
STRICTLY SOLID	Milton Barker Harriette Mericle
ABLE GABLE AND ABLE GRABLE	Bob Karver Beatrice Trimble
WOLF AND WOLFESS OF THE YEAR	Larry Miller Peggy Keirn
BEST MAKERS WITH PEARLY TEETH	Earle Moore Dorothy Puinti
BONE BOX BEATERS	Bob Karver Sara Garner
KING SIZE AND QUEEN SIZE IN BRAINS	George Kolettis Phyllis Miller
COOSOME TWOSOME	Earle Moore and Shirley Owen

MOST ATHLETIC BOY AND GIRL	Bernie Olis Catherine Orgon
BEST BOY AND GIRL DANCER	Tom Hampton Angela Escudero
BEST ACTOR AND ACTRESS	Bob Johnson Shirley Alterwitz
MOST ENERGETIC BOY AND GIRL	Martin Paligraph Peggy Gibbons

Favorites

BOOKS	<i>The Human Comedy</i> <i>Guadalcanal Diary</i>
HANGOUT	Emery's
FOOD	French Fries
COMIC STRIP	"Brenda Star"
MOTION PICTURE	"Casablanca"
SWING RECORD	Ravel's "Bolero"
FAVORITES IN FASHION	Boys'—Drapes Girls'—Skirts and Sweaters
BRANCH OF SERVICE	Navy
RADIO PROGRAM	Bob Hope
PASTTIME	Dancing
GREATEST MAN AND WOMAN IN THE WORLD	Franklin D. Roosevelt Madame Chiang Kaishek
ARMY ACE	Captain Colin Kelly
NAVY ACE	Cap't. Edward O'Hare
MARINE ACE	Maj. Joe Foss
BEST HOLLYWOOD DATE FOR PROM OR MILITARY BALL	Alan Ladd Betty Grable
GIRL'S GREATEST OPPORTUNITY IN LEAP YEAR	"Rabbi" To get a man
BONER OF THE YEAR	Dance programs at the "44" Prom
FASHION MOST CORDIALLY HATED BY THE BOYS	Slacks
FASHION MOST CORDIALLY HATED BY THE GIRLS	G.I. haircuts

PEOPLE



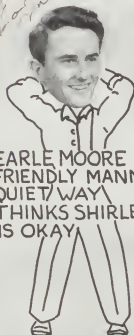
MILTON BARKER
VALUED TOOTH
IN FOOTBALL GAME
"TANK" IS
HIS NICKNAME

Milt Barker



• PATSY EGAN
HAPPY GO LUCKY
ALWAYS AT EASE
CONSTANTLY LAUGHING
LOVES TO TEASE

Patsy Egan



• EARLE MOORE
FRIENDLY MANNER
QUIET WAY
THINKS SHIRLEY
IS OKAY

Earle Moore



• VIRGINIA DWYER
ORIGINALITY
TALENT FOR ART
AT EVERY JOB
SHE DOES HER PART

Virginia Dwyer

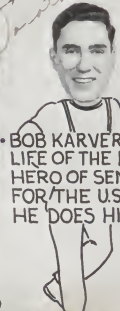


• GEORGE KOLETTIS
KING SIZE IN BRAINS
ALL HAVE AGREED
BETWEEN HIS STUDIES
LIKES TO READ

DOROTHY PUINTI
WINNING SMILE
PLEASANT FACE
LO-ED OF STAFF
DRAMATIC ACE



Dorothy Puinti

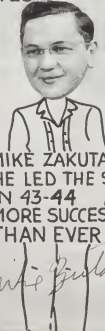


• BOB KARVER
LIFE OF THE PARTY
HERO OF SENIOR PLAY
FOR THE U.S. ARMY
HE DOES HIS PART TODAY



• PEGGY GIBBONS
CONTAGIOUS GIGGLE
SMALL IN SIZE
IRISH MANNER
FLIRTATIOUS EYES

Peggy Gibbons



• MIKE ZAKUTANSKY
HE LED THE SENIORS
IN 43-44
MORE SUCCESSFULLY
THAN EVER BEFORE

Mike Zakutansky

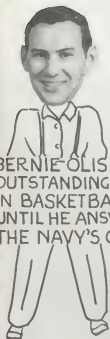


• ROSE GOLDMAN
SHINY BLACK HAIR
WITH NATURAL CURL
A FINE ACTRESS
STAFF'S BUSINESS GIRL

Rose Goldman

YOU KNOW

Bob Johnson



• BERNIE OLIS
OUTSTANDING MAN
IN BASKETBALL
UNTIL HE ANSWERED
THE NAVY'S CALL



Millie

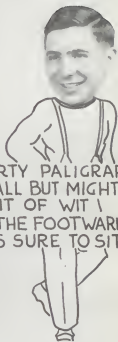
• MILLIE ORGON
ADEPT AT SPORTS
GAVEL IN HAND
THE G.A.A.
WAS IN HER COMMAND



• BOB JOHNSON
DRUM MAJOR
ACTOR TOO
TOP MAN
OF THE STAGE CREW



• PHYLLIS MILLER,
SALUTATORIAN
BOOKS - HER DISH
MILTON - HER HERO
TEACHING - HER AMBISH

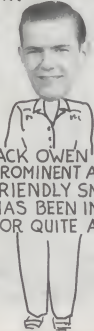


• MARTY PALIGRAPH
SMALL BUT MIGHTY
A BIT OF WIT
ON THE FOOTWARMER
HE'S SURE TO SIT

PAT COLEMAN
A RED-HAIRED CUTIE
WHAT A SIGHT
KNOWS HER DUTY
DOES IT RIGHT

• MARIAN FICKES
BUSY GIRL
LOADS OF WORK
WITH SCHOOL LIFE
AND AS E.A.'S CLERK

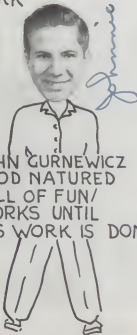
• SARA GARNER
LEADS THE ORCH
BOOSTS BOND SALES
A LETTER A DAY
TO NAVY, SHE MAIIS



• JACK OWEN
PROMINENT ATHLETE
FRIENDLY SMILE
HAS BEEN IN KHAKI
FOR QUITE AWHILE



• JOHN GURNEWICZ
GOOD NATURED
FULL OF FUN/
WORKS UNTIL
HIS WORK IS DONE



As We Were And As We Are



**MEMORIES
OF**



**NOT SO
LONG AGO**



MEMORIES:

Top: Rosemary Felts, Cecil Cutler, Gloria Hansen, Charles Bewick, Eugene Miller, Marilyn Kellstrom, Donald Felts, Lois Dunswoth, Tommy Hampton, Doris McDaniel, Sara Garner, Edward Oljace.

Center: Robert Alger, John King, Kenneth Wallace, Keith Fink.

Bottom: Lois Wardrip, Joey Anderson, Allen Combs, Danny Barrick (seated), Margaret Keirn, John Raysses, Josephine Fernandez, Adriann Bockay, Wanda Nowicki, Carl Broman, Pat Coleman.

SNAPS—Top: Kuctha tells him off; Connie, bookworm; Grieving over man-power shortage; Anshell poses; On the scrap and in it; George Calhoun; Carolina Street remembers; What a Mess; Center: Our favorite comic; "It's murder" (G.A.A. scrubs) empty halls for a change.
Bottom: Come on, Madeline; Drummer boy; Glenn's victory garden; Mohr winds up.



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Larry Miller, Virginia Dwyer, and Bob Johnson walking toward Gary Works Employment Office. Only thing wrong is that Larry is now in the Air Corps, and Bob will be leaving June 19. They will come back. Virginia is there because there are women in STEEL, too.

Steel---America's Bone and Sinew

say, one
your sure one
swell - don't want
change. Love me & Dad

Dear Barbara
Lots of luck
in your job and
it's been a high
with your high
with your high

Dear Barbara
Lots of
luck &
happiness
Love
Golden

Dear Barbara,
We have been
a long time, I
sure will miss
seeing you. I think
hope we continue to
be such good friends
in the future. I'll never
forget the fun we had.
Lots of love & luck.
Dolores Anderson

Dear Barbara,
Here's wishing
you a lot of luck
and a lot of
kind wishes
from all
the friends

Dear Bab, —

I've enjoyed walking to school with
you these few years and I hope
to walk to work with you.

Lots of Luck
"Angie"

Dear Bobo
 I like the
 way you're always
 giving me a picture
 I think I should have
 kept the one I had from
 you
 Dear Bobo, Adele
 Best of
 luck Virginia
 Dwyer
 Barbara R,
 you are a
 nice little girl
 + such a body
 I like quiet
 people.
 Sincerely
 J. Dwyer

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